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Arrivals.

Oct. 2, GRAF EULENBURG, Pruss. bk., 300, Bonnisten, Macao, 26th Sept., Guns and Powder.—ORDER.
Oct. 2, ST. MARY, put back.
Oct. 3, ELECTRA, Brit. sh., 606, Woodgate, Shanghai, 25th Sept., Ballast.—SEVERS & Co.
Oct. 3, ORION, Old. bg., 232, Hespe, Newchwang, 14th Sept., Peas.—SIEMSSEN & Co.
Oct. 3, ST. JULIE, French sh., 800, Motte, Nagasaki, 26th Sept., Ballast.—LANDSTEIN & Co.
Oct. 3, FORTUNATA, Pruss. bq., 262, Matthiesen, Whampoa, 1st October, Ballast.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.
Oct. 3, PALMERSTON, Brit. bq., 307, Millard, Bassien, 29th August, Rice and Teak Wood.—ROZARIO & Co.
Oct. 3, MARIA ROZARIO, Span. bq., 254, F. Aurruleave, Manila, 24th Sept., General.—RAYNOLDS & Co.
Oct. 3, AMALIA, Russ. bq., 549, Oldjeans, San Francisco, 2nd August, General.—RUSSELL & Co.
Oct. 3, AMY WARWICK, from Whampoa.
Oct. 3, AMIRAL DE MACKAN, French bq., 234, Dovereux, Tientsin, 10th Sept., General.—WM. PUSTAU & Co.
Oct. 3, ZANZIBAR, from Whampoa.
Oct. 3, PRINCESS, from do.
Oct. 3, H.C.M.S. PAYING, from do.
Oct. 3, THISCO, Hamb. bq., 380, T. N. Jessen, Swatow, 2nd October, Ballast.—ORDER.
Oct. 3, NIGHTINGALE, Brit. bq., 239, Brown, Amoy, 1st October, Ballast.—CAPTAIN.
Oct. 3, NEW ORLEANS, Hamb. bq., 400, Scholl, put back, 26th Sept., Ballast.—ORDER.
Oct. 4, FREDERICK VII, Dan. sh., 411, T. Heyer, Swatow, 2nd October, Ballast.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

Departures.

Oct. 3, LABOURDONNAIS, str., for Shanghai.
Oct. 3, SUWONADA, str., for do.
Oct. 3, EXPRESS, str., for do.
Oct. 3, WM. CHANDLER, for Manila.
Oct. 3, TANJORE, for Whampoa.
Oct. 3, MATHILDE, for Chefoo.
Oct. 3, AUREOLA, for Singapore.
Oct. 3, TYNEMOUTH, str., for Ningpo, &c.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, OCTOBER 2, 1865.

Chelah, for San Francisco.
Richard, for Singapore.
Alice Maud, for do.
Viscount Canning, str., for Chefoo.
Juno, for Singapore.
Matador, for Whampoa.
Carl and Auguste, for Singapore.

Passengers.

Per "Maria Rozario" from Manila.
Mr. Jayme Romaguera.

Per "Amalia" from San Francisco.
Dr. Rutter, and 3 Chinese.

Per "Clan Alpine" str., from Calcutta.
Mr. Grant and servant, and 2 Chinese.

Reports.

The British steamer *Clan Alpine*, Captain Murchinson, which left Calcutta on the 12th Sept., arrived in harbour on the 3rd October. The steamer *Lightning* left Calcutta on the same date and supposed to be entering Singapore at date of departure. *John Bright* in Calcutta with loss of screw. *Indore* in Singapore also with loss of screw. *Bombay Castle* alongside *Indore* taking in part of her cargo unable to take all. Arrived at Singapore, Sunday before last and left on the ensuing morning. The *Bombay Castle* was to leave the following Wednesday. Passed the P. & O. mail from China in Penang, Friday before last.



Auction Sales To-day.

RAY & Co.
Sundry Articles.

Intimations.

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Entrance Tickets to be had on application to
TALBOT & Co.
tf 2279 Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

Wm. DOLAN.
SAILMAKER
DUDDELL STREET, HONGKONG.
tf Hongkong, 29th July, 1864.

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NOTICE.
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D. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 20th April, 1864.

Banks.

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(£1,000,000 Sterling.)

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HEAD OFFICE BOMBAY.

LONDON BANKERS, The London Joint Stock Bank
BRANCHES.—London, Calcutta, Shanghai and Hongkong.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Bank draws on the London Joint Stock Bank, London, on its Head Office at Bombay and Branches at London Calcutta and Shanghai. The Bank is also prepared to negotiate bills payable at either of those Places.

Interest will be allowed as follows:—
On Deposits for 3 months certain... 4 per cent.
" " 6 " ... 5 "
" " 12 " ... 6 "

The Bank discounts local bills and grants loans on approved convertible securities.

FRANCIS ANDREWS,
Manager.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1864.

THE
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Paid-up Capital, £1,500,000.
RESERVED FUND, £444,000.

Court of Directors.
Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
John Lewis Bonhote, Esq.
William Walter Cargill, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Lestock Robert Reid, Esq.
Patrick F. Robertson, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Chief Manager.
Patrick Campbell, Sub-Manager.

Bankers.
Bank of England.
Union Bank of Scotland.

Agents in Scotland.
National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
R. Dundas Cay, 23, St. Andrew Square Edinburgh.

Agents in Ireland.
Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.

Head Office.
Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

HONGKONG BRANCH.
Banking.

The Corporation receive money on deposit repayable on demand, upon which no interest is allowed.

They also receive money on fixed deposit repayable at twelve months' notice, upon which interest at five per cent. per annum is allowed.

They discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they make advances upon bullion and goods not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

Exchange.

The Corporation issue Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, and on the Union Bank of London payable at Six months' sight; and they grant Circular Notes for the use of travellers, negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

They also issue Drafts on the Agencies and Branches of the Corporation at Shanghai, Yokohama, Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Madras, Mauritius, Melbourne, Singapore, and Sydney, at the exchange of the day.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday, 10 to 1.
J. McDOUALL,
Manager.
tf 1162 Hongkong, 18th April, 1865.

COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
Paid-up Capital, One Million Sterling.
Reserved fund £169,301.
HEAD OFFICE,—LONDON.
LONDON BANKERS, The London Joint Stock Bank.
AGENCIES and BRANCHES.

Bombay,	Singapore.
Calcutta,	Foochow.
San Francisco,	Hankow.
Shanghai.	Yokohama.

HONGKONG.

THE Bank draws on the London Joint Stock Bank and on all the above Agencies and Branches.

Current accounts are kept with Firms and individuals, free of Commission.

Deposits are received on which interest is allowed at seven per Cent per Annum on Monies lodged for Twelve Months certain and at lower Rates for shorter periods. Loans and discounts granted to constituents.

J. W. MACLELLAN,
Manager.
504 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1865.

THE BANK of HINDUSTAN, CHINA and JAPAN (Limited).
Capital, Four Millions Sterling.
In 40,000 Shares of £100 each.
Paid and called up, One Million Sterling.
Reserve Fund £92,000.
Number of Shareholders 1260.
Head Office, No. 1 Bank Buildings, E.C. London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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Deputy Chairman.—RICHARD SPOONER, Esq.

William Frederick Baring, Esq.	Wm. Harrison, Esq.
Thomas Cotterell, Esq.	James Levick, Esq.
David Sassoon, Esq.	J. Mackrill Smith, Esq.
Philip Shore Fletcher, Esq.	The Hon. Stuart Wortley
Lieut. Colonel Fletcher.	Henry Young Esq.

GENERAL MANAGER.—John Ouseley, Esq.
SECRETARY.—R. Swire Tomlin, Esq.

BANKERS.
The Bank of England.
The National Bank.
The Alliance Bank (Limited).

Agents.
In Scotland. The National Bank of Scotland.
In Ireland. The National Bank of Ireland.

Branches and Agencies.
Bombay, Calcutta, Colombo, Kandy, Shanghai Yokohama, Singapore, Point de Galle, Manila, Foochow, Ningpo, Hankow, Nagasaki, and Kiukiang.

Banking.
The Bank receives Money repayable on demand. No interest allowed on Current Accounts, nor, Commission charged thereon.

Deposits are received for fixed periods at rates of interest which may be known on application.

Approved Local Bills are discounted and Advances made upon Bullion and Goods not of a perishable nature.

Exchange.
The Bank purchases Bills on Europe, India China, Japan and Australia, and issues Drafts on England on the Bank of England the National Bank and the Alliance Bank, Limited; and on the various Branches and Agencies of the Bank in India, China Japan and Australia, at the current rates of the day.

Office Hours 10 to 3, Saturday, 10 to 1.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Manager.

ARCHIBALD STEWART,
Manager.
tf 2064 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

Banks.

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

NOTICE.—A Branch of this Bank has been opened in *Paris*, under the direction of—
M. ALEXANDRE DE LAPKI, President.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Member of the Lyon's Chamber of Commerce, and of the "Conseil General du Rhone."
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Director of the Messageries Imperiales.
M. LYNCH, C.B., K.L.S., President of the London and Bagdad Banking Association Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, O. President Marseilles Chamber of Commerce.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banker and Director of the Credit Lyonnais.

This Branch is now prepared to grant Drafts on its Office in Paris, and to negociate Bills of Exchange drawn on Paris and the principal cities of France, and also to forward for collection or acceptance similar documents.

Address in Paris,—No. 10 *Place Vendome.*

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

UNE Succursale de cette Banque a été établie à Paris, sous la direction de—
M. ALEXANDRE DE LAPKI, Président.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Membre de la Chambre de Commerce de Lyon, et du Conseil Général du Rhône.
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Administrateur des Messageries Impériales Services Maritimes.
M. LYNCH, C.B., K.L.S., Président de London et Bagdad Banking Association, Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, Président de la Chambre de Commerce de Marseille.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banquier Administrateur du "Credit Lyonnais."

Cette Branche de la Banque est maintenant préparée et autorisée de donner et de negocier des Letters de Change sur Paris et les principales villes de France.

Succursale à Paris,—*Place Vendôme*, 10.
RICHARD BARNES,
Manager.
tf 2031 Hongkong, 31st July, 1865.

AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.
ESTABLISHED IN 1833.
Incorporated by Royal Charter.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
(One million and a-half Sterling.)
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £3,000,000.
(Three Millions Sterling).
In 20,000 Shares of £100 Each, and 20,000 of £50 each.

NUMBER OF SHAREHOLDERS, 908.
RESERVED FUND, £500,000.

Head Office:—
35, NICHOLAS-LANE, LONDON, E.C.
Edinburgh Branch:—
17, ST. ANDREW'S SQUARE.
Paris Branch:—
10, PLACE VENDOME.
Branches in India, China, and Australia:—
Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Kurrachee, Agra, Lahore, Shanghai, Hongkong, Sydney, and Melbourne.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

CURRENT Accounts are kept with Firms and individuals free of commission.

Deposits are received for fixed periods at rates of Interest which may be known on application.

Local Bills discounted, and advances made on approved securities.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants Bills of Exchange on its Head Office London, and on its Branches in India, Shanghai, and Australia.

The Bank also forwards for collection Drafts Bills, &c., drawn on any of the above places where it has Branches.

Hours of Business 10 A.M., to 3 P.M.
Saturday, 10 A.M., to 1 P.M.
RICHARD BARNES,
Manager.
tf 2032 Hongkong, 31st July, 1865.

THE ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.—£500,000
WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO £2,000,000
(TWO CRORES OF RUPEES).
(*Capital called up*, £425,000
Head-Office—No. 4, *Lombard Street, London.*
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

F. Boykett, Esq., *Chairman*, (Messrs. Timothy Wiggins & Co.)
J. A. Russell, Esq., *Deputy-Chairman*, (Messrs. Grey and Coles, London; and Grey & Co., Bombay).
Thomas Cardwell, Esq., Messrs. Thomas Cardwell & Co., London, and Cardwell, Parsons & Co., Bombay).
Charles A. Fearon, Esq., (Messrs. Fearon & Co. London; and late of Messrs. Augustine Heard & Co., China).
Wm. Maitland, Esq., (Messrs. Mackillop, Stewart & Co. Calcutta).
General Manager—Harry John, Esq.
Bankers. The Bank of England. The London Joint Stock Bank.
Agents in Scotland.—The British Linen Co.
Agents in Ireland.—The National Bank.
Brokers.—Messrs. Foster and Braithwaite.
Solicitors.—Messrs. Freshfields and Newman.
Auditors.—Messrs. Coleman, Turquand Young & Co.

Agencies and Branches of the Bank have been established at Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore Ceylon, Melbourne, Hongkong and Shanghai.

PROMOTERS IN BOMBAY.
THE HON. M. H. SCOTT, (Messrs. Ritchie, Stewart & Co.).
ROBERT HANNAY, Esq., (Messrs. Grey & Co.)
COWASJEE JEHANGHIER, Esq.

The Corporation will shortly be prepared to grant Drafts, and negotiate Bills of Exchange, payable at the above places, issue Letters of Credit, and conduct every description of Banking business connected with the East.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Agents.
463 Hongkong, 27th September, 1864.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED.
Subscribed Capital—5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors:—
Chairman—HON. FRANCIS CHOMLEY, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—Hon. THOS. SUTHERLAND, Esq.

Albt. F. Heard, Esq.	W. Nissen, Esq.
Geo. J. Helland, Esq.	Pallanjee Framjee, Esq.
Douglas Lapraik, Esq.	Rustonjee Dhunjeeshaw, Esq.
H. B. Lemann, Esq.	Arthur Sassoon, Esq.
Geo. F. Maclean, Esq.	

Managers:—
Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghai—David Maclean, Esq.

HONGKONG BRANCH:—

This Bank has this day commenced business in Hongkong, and is now open to discount Bills and grant Credits on approved Banking Securities.

Current Accounts are kept and interest allowed at the rate of 2 per cent per annum on the minimum monthly balances.

Money deposits received for fixed periods at the following rates of interest:—

For 3 Months—3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 do —5 do do.
" 12 do —6 do do.

In addition to the above fixed rates of interest the Company has adopted the principle of setting aside a certain portion of its yearly profits to be given as a bonus on the balances employed by the Bank. Customers keeping Current Accounts and Depositors will participate equally in respect of such Bonus, whether shareholders in the Company or not.

The Company grant Drafts and negotiate Bills of Exchange on London and the chief commercial places of Europe, India, Australia, America and China.

VICTOR KRESSER,
Manager.

Temporary offices of the Company
Wardley House No. 1, Queen's Road.
March 3, 1865. tf 655

Intimations.

J. de SOUZA,
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Hongkong, 29th March, 1865. 917

LIVERY AND COMMISSION STABLES.

THE Undersigned begs leave to notify to the Ladies and Gentlemen of this Colony, that he has taken over the establishment situated in the rear of the Murray Barracks, lately conducted by Mr. T. E. HAWKINS (who is about leaving owing to ill health)—and he hopes by attention and constant personal surveillance, to merit and attract the patronage and support of the public.
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NOTICE.

IF Mr. JOSEPH SHORE, Son of Mr. BENJAMIN SHORE, of Rowdebosch, near Cape Town, will call at the Office of this Paper, he will hear of his Friends.
tf 1928 Hongkong, 18th July, 1865.

THE LADIES AND FAMILIES.

MADAME BELIAGRE begs leave to inform her friends and patrons, that her health having been sufficiently restored, she is ready to resume her occupation as instructor to young Ladies of the Piano Forte and of Singing. She is also desirous to obtain a few Pupils in the French language.

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tf 2303 Hongkong, 6th September, 1865.

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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

RAY & Co. will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,

THIS DAY,
the 4th October, 1865,—at Noon.
AT THEIR SALES ROOM,

An Invoice of Winter Goods as assorted Trowserings and Coatings, Grey Doeskins, Black and Blue Cloths, assorted Colored Flannels, Crimean Shirts, Woollen Cuffs, Gloves, Socks, Stockings. &c., &c., &c.

50 gross Gilt Buttons.
40 dozens Kid Gloves.
79 dozens Cap Peaks.
20 Woollen Table Covers.
2 bales assorted Tiles, Blankets.
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10 dozens Powder Flasks.
60 barrels Stockholm Tar.
30 drums Turpentine.
120 Mast Hoops, assorted Sizes.
6 French Gilt Clocks.
75 bags Fine Salt.
&c., &c., &c.
And,
To close a Consignment.
15 hhds Younger's Pale Ale.
10 cases 1 lbs. Soups and Meats, assorted.
20 pieces Indigo Blue Camlets.
10 pieces Orange do.
20 bags Manila Coffee.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed 7.1.7.
2468 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,
At the Godowns of Messrs. OLYPHANT & Co.
TO-MORROW,
the 5th instant at 12 o'clock Noon.
for account of the concerned.
108 Sacks WHEAT.
153 Barrels FLOUR.
20 Boxes TOBACCO.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
DE SILVER & Co.
Auctioneers.
2480 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,
TO-MORROW,
the 5th October, 1865,—at Noon.
At Messrs. FERGUSON & FISHER'S Ship Yard.
for account of whom it may concern.
The Old Yellow Metal Sheathing.
And,
A quantity of Old Rigging and Spars, of the Hamburg Brig "*Cygne.*"

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed 7.1.7.
2491 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

WEEKLY GENERAL AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on
FRIDAY,
the 6th October, 1865,—at Noon.
At their Sales Room, Queen's Road,

Oilman's Stores viz:—Mustard, Sauces, Salad Oil, Vinegar, Pickles, Olives, Capers, Jams and Jellies, Candied Peel, Raisins, Currants, Figs, Pearl Barley, Macaroni, Oatmeal, Tapioca, Anchovy and Bloater Paste, Bacon, Bath Chaps, &c.,

Perfumery, viz:—Assorted Essences, Lavender Water, Oil of Roses Jamaica and Marrow Pomatum, Circassian and Cold Cream, Violet Powder, Puffs and Boxes, Honey and Brown Windsor Soaps, Essences of Ginger and Peppermint, Lozenges, &c.

Paints and Turpentine, Crimean Shirts Drills, Towelling, &c., Dyes, Crystal Jugs, Opera Glasses, Hats, Buttons, Beads, Grindstones, Bath Bricks &c.

4 cases Table Cutlery with Plated Forks, Blue Pilot Cloth Jackets, Trousers and Coats.

100 dozens boxes Vesuvians Plated Ice Pitchers.
50 cases Whisky.
31 cases Moselle.
39 cases Allsopp's Beer.
74 casks do. do.
40 cases Government Sherry.
Pig and Sheet Lead.
And 1 P.M.

The Grey Arab Horse "*Sir Harry*" about 5 years old—goes in harness, &c.
Sundry Household Furniture, &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.
2489 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Auction Sale of the Machinery and Materials saved from the wreck of the Steamer "*Hankow,*" advertised to take place at Canton on Friday next, the 29th instant, at Noon, will be postponed till Friday, the 6th October.

Following is a list of the articles that will be offered for sale:—

2 Anchors.
150 Fathoms Chain Cable.
1 Bed Plate.
1 Condenser (imperfect.)
1 Air Pump, with Bilge Pumps connected.
1 Smoke Chimney.
2 Valve Chests, with Valves complete.
2 Side Pipes, with flanges and Rock Shaft.
1 Broken Piston, and Rod with Collar.
2 Cross-heads, Front links, Cylinder-head and guides complete.
1 Working Beam, with Pillow blocks and Brasses complete.
4 Lots Boiler Plates.
1 Lot Boiler Flues.
2 Sets Boiler Tubes.
1 Water Tank.
1 Lot Cast Iron.
1 Lot small Chains.
2 Wheels, with Shafts, and Crank, Connecting Rod, Crank-pin, Keys, Bearings, Eccentric Rod, &c., complete.
2 Safety Valves and weights.
Injection Stand, and 4 Valves.
1 Bell.
6 Large Iron Cleats.
Castings for Beam Frame.
4 Iron Saddles for Boilers.
Screw Bolts and Nuts.
Grate Bars.
Iron Rods.
Cocks, Joints &c.
Scrap Iron.
4 Lifting Rods, with Lifters, complete.
RUSSELL & Co.
2444 Hongkong, 27th September, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on
MONDAY,
the 9th October, 1865,—at 1 o'clock.
At the Godowns of Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co's
for account of the concerned.
980 Packages TEA.
Ex "*John Liddell,*"
more or less damaged by Sea Water.
For particulars &c., apply to
W. M. MORGAN & Co.
Auctioneers.
2400 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

STEAM-FERRY BETWEEN HONGKONG AND KOWLOON.

FROM this day a Steam Ferry-boat will ply regularly between Hongkong and Kowloon, leaving West Point every hour, commencing at 6 A.M.

This boat will touch at the principal landing places between West Point and the Government Jetty at the Parade Ground; thence to Kowloon. Returning she will call first at the jetty at the Parade Ground to land and receive passengers.

Fares Europeans..........20 cents.
Chinese..........50 cash.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1739 Hongkong, 26th June, 1865.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from N. R. MASSON, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on
SATURDAY,
7th October, 1865.—at 11 o'clock A.M.
AT THEIR SALES ROOM,

The effects of A. G. Proctor and T. D. Neale deceased.
Household Furniture, Wearing Apparel.
Lamps Engravings, Valuable Books, Glassware, Rifles, fowling piece, Revolver, Electro, Plate, Clocks.
Valuable Gold Watch and Chain, Jewellery, Cutlery Crockeryware, &c., &c.
A magnificent Piano by "*Broadwood.*"
Also,
Sundry Wines, Sedan Chairs, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
BOWRA & Co.
Auctioneers.
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Intimations.

JUST received ex Mail Steamer, and for sale by the undersigned, an Invoice of the latest Admiralty Charts, consisting of the "China Sea," from the Straits of Sunda to the Gulf of Petcheli, the "Japanese Seas," and the "Bay of Bengal," including the "Burman Rice Ports," and the "Straits of Malacca."

Apply to
L. J. DA SILVA,
Office of this paper.
tf 2095 Hongkong, 9th August, 1865.

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS.
FOR SALE, RETAIL.

CERTIFIED CAVITES, CHEROOTS AND CIGARS. Very Superior and in prime condition.

per Box of 500,..........$8
SUPERIOR GOVERNMENT CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. November make in prime condition.
per Box of 500,..........$6.50

Apply to
L. J. DA SILVA,
Office of this Paper.
tf 1452 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

THE Match versus the Royal Marine Batt. Eleven will take place TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, commencing each day at 2 P.M.
A. M. CASE,
Hon. Sec.
2 2496 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

WANTED a Nurse, Bengali preferred to go to Calcutta, apply from 12 to 1 o'clock at Messrs. CUNNINGHAM & Co., 56 Praya West.
tf 2473 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

BOARD.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let with Board, suitable for respectable Persons, at moderate terms.

Married Couples,..........$60 per month
Single Person,..........$30 per month
H. J. CARR.
tf 2363 Hongkong, 16th September, 1865.

ONE or Two Gentlemen can be accommodated in a private establishment a short distance from the Queen's Road, where a view of the Harbour can be obtained.

Apply by letter R. at the Office of this Paper.
1102 tf Hongkong, 10th April, 1865.

WANTED A SITUATION.
As Nursery maid, Chamber maid, or to wait on a Lady.

THE Advertiser having good references, which may be seen on application at the Office of this Paper, is desirous of obtaining employment in any of the above capacities and would accompany a Family overland if required.

Address S. P. Office of this Paper.
tf 2346 Hongkong, 14th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, PIANO TUNER and REPAIRER, begs leave to intimate to the Public that in consequence of his residence not being situated in a central position for the convenience of the Public, he begs to notify that Parties wishing to engage his services would kindly address him to the care of *F. F.* of the "*Daily Press*" Office.

P. A. SEQUEIRA.
tf 2421 Hongkong, 25th September, 1865.

WANTED two or three unfurnished ROOMS or a small HOUSE.

Please send particulars to F. at the Office of this paper.
tf 2403 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1865.

NOTICE.
VICTORIA LIBRARY AND READING ROOMS, HONGKONG.
12, WYNDHAM STREET.

THE LIBRARY being now open, Persons willing to become Subscribers are invited to send their name in writing to the undersigned.

By Order of the Provincial Committee.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Hon. Sec. and Treasurer.
tf 2295 Hongkong, 5th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. H. WINNIBERG & Co. having been induced by the suggestions of some of the influential neighbours to convert the lower portion of their Premises in which they have been carrying on the business of Wine and Spirit Merchants for the period of six Years into an Auction Mart, and Commission Room, having removed their Office next door adjoining the same premises, Queen's Road East, in which they will continue carrying on the above business as heretofore. The Auctioneering business will be conducted under their own superintendence. A share of the Public Patronage is therefore solicited, the situation being near the Military, Naval and Mercantile Depot.

Guarantee early and immediate attention to rendering of account sales and settlement.

Queen's Road East, opposite Naval Yard.
tf 2337 Hongkong, 13th September, 1865.

WANTED.

A European BOILER MAKER for the "Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company."

Apply to
D. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.
tf 2396 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

ALL Parsons indebted to the French Dispensary are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having any Claim are requested to send in particulars on or before the 1st October.
tf 2278 Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

FROM and after TUESDAY, the 12th September Instant, the Agency of the Steamer "*White Cloud,*" will be transferred to Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., at Hongkong and Canton.

GEO. U. SANDS.
tf 2327 Hongkong, 12th September, 1865.

VICTORIA LIBRARY AND READING ROOMS.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Subscribers of this Institution will be held at the Rooms in Wyndham Street, on Monday next the 2nd October at 4 o'clock P.M. to receive the report of the Provisional Commitee, and ballot for Officers for the ensuing term.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Honorary Secretary and Treasurer (pro tem.)
tf 2436 Hongkong, 26th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

WING-CHEONG SING beg respectfully to announce to the Public that they have for sale at Sickqua Hong, Foochow, all sorts of Tea Mats, at moderate prices.
3m 1233 Foochow, 24th April, 1865.

Amusements.

RISING SUN MELODEON.

M. FORD begs to inform his Patrons and the Public Generally, that he has made arrangements with the present proprietor for the above Room, and trusts by varying the entertainment and obtaining the best available talent to merit a share of the public patronage.

There will be two performances weekly, Tuesdays and Saturdays, of which due notice will be given.
tf 2271 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1865.

THE RISING SUN MELODEON.

MR. W. T. HARRISON, has the pleasure to announce to his Friends and the Public in General, that he has resumed the management of the above named Theatre. He intends to renovate the House, and to provide new Scenery, Properties, &c., and will give a

GRAND OPENING NIGHT,
on
THURSDAY, the 5th Instant.
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tf 2470 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

Intimations.

FOR SALE.

200 Bags GRAM.

Apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2482 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

T. & R. TENNENT'S Pale Ale and Brown Stout.
John Foulger & Sons, Paints and Linseed Oil.
David Corsar & Sons, Canvas and Twine.
John Crabbie & Co's Gingerwine.
Zotuban Manila Rope.
Yellow Metal and Nails.
Swedish Tar and Pitch.

Apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2483 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

THERE are few vacancies for Ward Room Officers Servants on board H.M.S. "*Conqueror*" on passage to England.

Apply immediately to BOWRA & Co.
3d 2484 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

EX "*CANADIAN,*" AND LATE ARRIVALS.

3000 Fathoms WIRE ROPE—all sizes. Henry's best Government Navy Canvas, Nos. 1 to 7.
Copal Varnish.
Neats Foot Oil.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 2485 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

EX "*CANADIAN,*"

DOUBLE Barrel Breech-loading FOWLING PIECES.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 2486 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

EX "*CANADIAN,*"

MILITARY CARBINES.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 2487 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

PER OVERLAND MAIL.

LETTS'S DIARIES for 1866.

Also,
An assortment of MEERSCHAUM PIPES and CIGAR TUBES, 1st and 2nd quality.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 2488 Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN WALTER RICHARDSON has been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
BRADLEY & Co.
3m 2492 40 Swatow, 29th September, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA.
(calling at Penang should sufficient inducement offer.)

THE A 1 British Steam-ship
"LIGHTNING,"
Captain Rodger, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2497 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 British Brig
"ANNA PORTIS,"
S. Roch Master, of 248 Tons Register.

For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
1w 2494 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 French Barque
"ST. JULIEN,"
G. Nolte Master, of 338 Tons Register.

For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
1w 2495 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.



Notices to Consignees.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo of Hamburg Ship "*ARRACAN,*" Kuhlken, Master, from Singapore are herewith informed that Laydays will commence on the 30th Instant.
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 2458 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

"*LIGHT BRIGADE,*" FROM CALCUTTA.

CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
15d 2453 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

"*CAMBALU*" FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods.

Those having the option of delivery at Whampoa are requested to state at once at which port they intend taking delivery.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
15d 2431 Hongkong, 26th September, 1865.

"*COREA,*" FROM LIVERPOOL.

CONSIGNEES of
G. (in diamond) 27 Pkges. Rope, Canvas, &c.
F. R. (in Triangle) 25 Cases Merchandise.
are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned and take immediate delivery of their Goods otherwise they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2371 Hongkong, 18th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE following Cases are still unclaimed, and are lying in the Messageries Imperiales Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are request to take immediate delivery.

B (in diamond),	1 Case Books.
J L & Co., No. 11,	1 do. Glass-ware.
Pusoole Pustovethy,	1 do. Preserves.

tf 1344 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE following Packages are still unclaimed and are lying in the P. & O. Co.'s Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

R. Swinhoe,	1 Box Linen.
Captain Jackson,	1 Box Baggage.
L. E. & Co. 181/182,	2 Boxes Hardware.

tf 1704 Hongkong, 20th June, 1865.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which this Establishment offers for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.

ABERDEEN DOCKS.
DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	330 feet.
Breadth	80 ,,
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18½ ,,
Do. Neap Tides	16 ,,

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	400 feet.
Breadth	80 ,,
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24 ,,
Do. Neap Tides	21½ ,,

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.
DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	550 feet
Breadth	80 ,,
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 ft.
do. Neap ,,	13½ a 15 ,,

This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	340 feet
Breadth	60 ,,
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	19 feet
do. Neap do.	15 ,,

This Dock is at present in course of alteration. The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of Wood.

Length	280 ft.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	14 ,,
do. do. Neap	11 ,,

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length	164 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	16,6 ,,
do. do. Neap ,,	9.6 ,,

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	11 ,,
do. do. Neap	8 ,,

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENTS.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers of Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for

STEAM TUG.

Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame*, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars, apply to G. N. MINTO, Manager at Whampoa, or in Hongkong to

D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

Hongkong, April 3, 1865.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS, are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS, at the above Port, afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels and for Cleaning and Painting Iron and Steam Ships.

Their large GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet long on the Blocks, is in complete Working order, and at average Spring tides can take Vessels Drawing 16 to 17 feet Water. The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and with a Centrifugal Steam Pump of great power ensuring despatch in all states of the tide. An ample stock is kept on hand of Timber, Oregon Spars, Sheathing Copper and Yellow Metal, and of every description of Material required for Dock Yard use.

The Premises comprise an Engineer's Workshop, a large Smithy and Carpenter's Workshops, and the Works are superintended by Resident Europeans, viz., a Shipwright, an Engineer, and a Blacksmith. Dry Godowns for the reception of Vessels stores &c., when requiring to discharge them.

tf 966 23m Amoy, March 1865.

DANES ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY GOW & Co.

ONE Dock, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet, at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels, All kinds of Ship, and Blacksmiths Work done, The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN BIACH & Co, *Hongkong; or to* MR. JAMES BADENOCH, *Manager, Whampoa.*

tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1863.

FOOCHOW DOCK, MARNOI POINT, RIVER MIN.

THE undersigned respectfully begs to notify to Commanders, and Consignees of Ships, that the above Granite Floored Dock is now ready to receive Vessels, Its dimensions are as follow:—length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet at top 95 feet, depth of water on the sill, Spring Tides, average 18 feet, Neaps 16 feet.

The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and is pumped out by steam in two hours. The Shipwrights' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European Shipwright, contains a large stock of Australian and other hardwoods, Oregon Pine Lumber from one inch thick to eighteen inches square; also Spars from thirty inches, at partners. In connection with the above is a Steam Saw Mill to insure despatch in work.

The Blacksmiths' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European, is also well supplied.

Dry Godowns, and a large Hulk for the reception of Cargo, or Stores.

JOHN C. SKEY, *Manager.*

tf 1168 Foochow, 18th April 1865.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE Second Call of Fifty Dollars ($50) per Share on the new Stock of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, is due on the 1st October Next, and is payable at the "Agra and Masterman's Bank," Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

By Order of the Directors,

D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

tf 2172 Hongkong, 21st August, 1865.

Docks.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their DOCKS in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The DOCKS are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours, and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, longside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars, apply to

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary,*

or CAPT. T. B. RENNELL, *Manager at Whampoa.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company

tf 950 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are invited to call at the Office of the Company for the purpose of taking delivery of the Scrip in exchange for the Receipt granted by the Commercial Bank Corporation of India and the East, on payment of First and Second call.

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*

tf 2350 Hongkong, 18th September, 1865.

Insurances.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company at Hongkong, are prepared to grant Policies, payable at any of the following Ports:—

London.	Madras.
Calcutta.	Melbourne.
Bombay.	The Cape.
Kurrachee.	Shanghai.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

THE CHINA TRADERS' MARINE INSURANCE SOCIETY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, $1,000,000

In 200 Shares of $5,000 each—$1,000 per Share Paid up.

CONSULTING COMMITTEE.

WILLIAM NEILSON, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant & Co.)

J. W. MACLELLAN, Esq., (Manager Commercial Bank Corporation.)

RICHARD DEACON, Esq., (Messrs. John Burd & Co.)

General Agents.

Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

THE Allotment of Shares will take place on the 4th day of October next, and further Applications for Shares will be received until the *3rd of October* next.

Application to be made in the form given below, and addressed to the General Agents, from whom any information can be obtained.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To the General Agents of THE CHINA TRADERS' MARINE INSURANCE SOCIETY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN,—I hereby request that the Committee will allot to me shares in the above Company, and I agree to accept such shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay the first call of One thousand Dollars per share, and further calls to such amount and at such times and in such manner as may be authorised by the Articles of Association of the said Company, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when called on to do so.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your Obedient Servant.

tf 2276 Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents.	¾ per cent. per annum.
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents, Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents.	

GILMAN & Co.
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.

THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.

By Order of the Board

JAMES B. NORTHCOTT, *Secretary.*

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIVE SHARES held by Messrs. FLETCHER & Co., and Five SHARES, held by Messrs. JARVIE, THORBURN & Co., are in the hands of the Secretary at Shanghai for sale, and tenders for one or more of them will be received by the undersigned from whom information can be obtained as to the amount of Premium contributed.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 2380 Hongkong, 19th September, 1865.

DEPARTURES OF STEAMERS.

The "*Oriflamme,*" leaves for S.hai, To-morrow, the 5th Instant, at 2 P.M.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG OCTOBER 4, 1865.

THE *Clan Alpine* came into port yesterday afternoon, after having been at anchor outside for two days. She left Calcutta on the 10th ultimo, arrived at Singapore on the 24th and left on the 25th. The *Lightning* left Calcutta the same day and was going into Singapore as the *Clan Alpine* came out. The *Arratoon Apcar* was to leave Calcutta for this on the 19th, with Cotton and Rice—she may bring some Opium. The new steamer *T. A. Gibb* was also loading for this with Cotton, and may also bring on Opium,—she would leave before the Doorga Pooja holidays, which commenced 25th.

The *John Bright* was in dock repairing a broken shaft. The *Bombay Castle* was at Singapore receiving the *Indore's* Opium. The latest Calcutta quotation was 1350 rupees per Patna, and 1340 for Benares.

The following from Messrs. Apcar & Co.'s circular will convey all the commercial news:—

From Messrs. Apcar & Co.'s Circular.

CALCUTTA, 16th September, 1865.

The 9th opium sale of this year was held on the 6th instant when 2,920 chests Patna, and 2,435 chests Benares were sold at the following rates;—Patna sold highest Rs. 1195, lowest Rs. 1150, average Rs. 1160.15.5¼.

Benares sold highest Rs. 1175, lowest Rs. 1140, average 1157.13.4.

The result shows an advance on the averages of last sale of rupees 113.11.10½ for Patna, and Rs. 123.8.3½ for Benares.

There was great fluctuation in the sale, the market subsequently advanced very considerably, owing to China accounts by the French Mail received after the sale followed by large orders being executed in the market on Bombay account. We quote to-day:—

Patna Rs. 1325, Benares Rs. 1300 per chest.

The *Lightning* and *Clan Alpine* both leave to-morrow morning and carry as under, the *John Bright* is in dock replacing her broken shaft.

Lightning for	Hongkong	780
	Singapore	10
	Penang	30
	S. or Hongkong	785
	P. or Singapore	45
	Total	1,650 chests.
Clan Alpine for	Hongkong	721
	Singapore	77
	Penang	97
	S. or Hongkong	416
	P. or Singapore	50
	Total	1,361 chests.

EXCHANGE.

On China agency drafts 60 d.s. *a* Rs. 217 *a* 219, and 30 d.s. *a* Rs. 219 per cent premium, Bank Bills 60 d.s *a* Rs. 218 *a* 220¼, and 30 d.s. *a* Rs. 220¼ *a* 221 per cent premium.

On Singapore *a* Rs. 219, per cent premium nominal, no business done.

On London Bank of England Post Bills and Treasury drafts 30 d.s. *a* 1½ per cent premium Baring's and other 1st class credits 6 months sight at 2/0¾ *a* 2/0⅞ per cent prem. Local Bank drafts, at 2/0¾ *a* 2/0⅞ per cent premium.

The following is the only late telegram we can detect:—

LONDON *VIA* INDO-EUROPEAN LINE.

TO ENGLISHMAN OFFICE, CALCUTTA.

London 4th September.—Fair Dhollers, 13d. strong. State of Market—prices well sustained. Sales twenty thousand.

5th Sept.—Fair Dhollers, 13¼d. to 13½d.; great activity, considerable business done. Surats dearer. Manchester Market healthy; steady business. *7lb.* Shirtings, 11s. 6d.

6th Sept.—Fair Dhollers 13½d.; firm.

Queen returned from Germany.

Consul Cameron released from imprisonment by Emperor Theodorus.

Navigation treaty with Russia signed August 16th.

OUR private advices regarding the rendition and the butchery of the Mo Wong, are rather satisfactory. The Secretary of State for the Colony is horrified at the occurrence and our correspondent gives it as his opinion that Mr. Mercer's chances for promotion are very slight. Mr. Whyte's conduct in committing the man is severely censured, and our letter says that Judge Ball is mixed up in the matter and will not come out of it with credit. Judge Adams has been consulted on the point; and his reply was that he always scouted such applications with derision, and that he more than once warned Mr. Mercer to be very careful how he acted in such cases.

We fear that Mr. Mercer's conduct has been worse than is generally supposed. He assuredly laid an Ordinance before the Legislative Council, sanctioning such renditions, and he certainly led the Council to suppose that he did this at the request of the Secretary of State. The Council amended the Ordinance and made it apply only to pirates captured by our men of war.

If the Secretary of State did not desire Mr. Mercer to bring in such an Ordinance as that he laid before the Council, he should be impeached. To commit such an illegal outrage as the rendition of the Mo Wong and then to attempt to have it legalised by the subterfuge we have indicated, displays an amount of legislative turpitude we should hardly have suspected the notorious Colonel Caine to be capable of. Had Mr. Mercer resolved after the horrible torments to which he consigned the Mo Wong, not to make any more renditions, he would have acted as became a man in his position—but to persist in the act by attempting to juggle that Ordinance through the Council, is a damning proof of his lacking all those qualities of honour and humanity which are necessary to qualify him for the post he occupies. He should we say, be impeached.

BELOW will be found a letter from the master of the British schooner *Sir Wm. Wallace* which vessel was lately wrecked at Chinchew during a typhoon. It is of course wrong to arrive at conclusions on *ex-parte* statements, but there is evidently something here that requires explanation.

The reflection upon the British navy is lamentable. It practically illustrates the remark we made some time ago to the effect that our squadron on the China Station is a delusion. The class of vessels most required are all rotten, and the rest are either too large, or too good for service. H. M.'s Ministers are the most to blame for this, because of their suicidal cheeseparing—why cannot the rotten gunboats be repaired, or sold, or broken up? No such thing as responsibility exists under the Palmerston Ministry, otherwise such unseemly occurrences as that we now allude to could hardly happen.

The alleged apathy and the rapacity of H. M. Consul at Amoy, are almost incredible. The Tientsin treaty has the following on this subject.

ART. XIX.—If any British merchant-vessel while within Chinese waters, be plundered by robbers or pirates, it shall be the duty of the Chinese authorities to use every endeavour to capture and punish the said robbers or pirates, and recover the stolen property, that it may be handed over to the Consul for restoration to the owner.

ART. XX.—If any British vessel be at any time wrecked or stranded on the coast of China, or be compelled to take refuge in any port within the dominions of the Emperor of China, the Chinese authorities on being apprised of the fact, shall immediately adopt measures for its relief and security; the persons on board shall receive friendly treatment, and shall be furnished, if necessary, with the means of conveyance to the nearest Consular station.

What must the Chinese think of us? We pretend to be so humane, and yet on being put to the test, we are not only careless of our ship wrecked mariners, but display rapacity also.

BELOW will be found a Report of the meeting of the Victoria Library and Reading Room, which was held on Monday last.

This subject has become a vexed one, and as all we have said and are capable of saying goes for nothing, we do not feel disposed to say anymore. The Committee are clearly determined that the establishment shall be closed—, that their verdict of condemnation shall be carried out. The old humdrum style, after being found entirely wanting, is to be continued—no alterations are to be made—no attractions attempted. Even our offer to present the society with all our exchanges, after remaining unacknowledged, or even formally accepted, is publicly refused because of a condition which would have been qualified if required, and which for the past month has never been availed of once. The effort of resuscitation will just last as long as the appeal to the public is remembered, when the whole affair will become mouldy, useless, and moribund.

The proprietory rights are not even arranged.—After what has happened, we look upon the Report as most reprehensible on the part of the Committee. Mr. Mitchell it will be seen clings to office.

We understand that the Press was blamed for not having a reporter present.—Considering the contempt with which the committee have treated the Press, we think the Press did right to avoid contact with such impracticable donothings.

Victoria Library and Reading Rooms.

ADJOURNED MEETING.—MONDAY 2ND OCT. 1865.

Report of the Provisional Committee.

HONGKONG, 2nd October, 1865.

The Provisional Committee, appointed at the General Meeting which was held on the 1st of September, have the honor to submit the following Report to the Members of the Victoria Library:—

In the first place they beg to congratulate the Members on the improved prospects of this Institution; eighty six gentlemen have already enrolled themselves as subscribers, and it may be fairly anticipated that their number will be increased as soon as it is made apparent to the Public that the Library has been re-opened under such favourable auspices.

The appeal to the Public which was recently made, has been responded to with the liberality for which the residents in Hongkong have ever been distinguished, and the sum of $1,210 has been collected; $50 is also promised by a gentleman, at present too ill to attend to the matter.

After liquidating nearly all the liabilities of the Institution a balance of $317.84 will remain in the hands of the Treasurer, as will appear from the annexed statement.

A commodious house has been engaged in Wyndham Street, at the monthly rent of $40, and the Reading Rooms have been open to Members during the past month. The local papers have been provided, and the *Times, Illustrated News, China Express* and *Punch* have also been ordered.

At the General Meeting held on the 1st of September, a letter from a Member was read, the writer of which offered, on certain condition specified to undertake the management of the Library on his own responsibility; that letter was referred to the Provisional Committee, who after giving the matter the best consideration are all of opinion, that under present circumstances it is not advisable to recommend the adoption of the plan proposed.

The proprietor of the *Daily Press* has very kindly informed the Committee that he will have great pleasure in placing at the disposal of the Members, the numerous papers which he receives from various portions of the World, on the condition that he shall be permitted to reclaim his files whenever he may require to make reference to them. The Provisional Committee think that the best thanks of the Members are due to Mr. Murrow for his considerate offer, but fear that the acceptance of it may lead to confusion, and perhaps discussion, should the files of papers required be not in readiness at the time when they may be demanded.

On examining the books contained in the Library, the Committee found a number of works which they recommend the Members to get rid of. The works referred to, a list of which is annexed, are in general old second rate Novels and productions of a similar kind which are not deserving of a place in the Victoria Library, and which the Committee therefore suggest should be disposed of at the earliest opportunity.

The Committee recommend to the favourable consideration of the Members the revised set of Rules, which they have prepared. Some alterations and additions have been made to the former Rules the adoption of which they confident, y hope will be the means of establishing on a firm basis and securing the permanent welfare of one of the oldest and most useful Institutions in the Colony.

In accordance with the terms of the Resolution by which the Provisional Committee were appointed, they beg in conclusion to recommend to the Members that the following gentlemen be selected for the Government of the Institution until the next annual Election in January:—

President.
The Honorable F. CHOMLEY, Esq.

Vice-President.
The Honorable J. C. WHYTE, Esq.

Directors.
WALDEMAR NISSEN, Esq.
D. R. CRAWFORD, Esq.
J. W. TORREY, Esq.
G. A. F. NORRIS, Esq.
HENRY COHEN, Esq.

Hon. Secretary.
E. D. BARBOUR, Esq.

Hon. Treasurer.
F. W. MITCHELL, Esq.

We remain,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servants,
F. W. MITCHELL, *Chairman.*
JOHN C. WHYTE,
H. LYONS,
J. W. TORREY,
Provisional Committee.

THE TREASURER OF THE VICTORIA LIBRARY PER CONTRA.

Dr.			$	cts.				$	cts.	Cr.
1865. Septr.	20	To Amount of Voluntary Contribution as per Subscription List	1,210	00	1865. Septr.	1	By Balance	...	75	
						21	,, Cost of Bill remitted to Mann & Co., £124.11.10 a 4s. 3¼d.	577	92	
							,, Ditto to *Times* of India Rs. 70 a 217 per cent	32	26	
							,, Ditto to *Sydney Herald* £8.10.0 a 4s. 4½d.	38	86	
						30	,, Ditto to *Melbourne Argus* £13.10.0 a 4s. 4½d.	63	77	
							,, Subscription to *North China Herald*	20		
							,, Rent for April, May and June	120		
							,, Librarian, Wages and Petty Charges for Septr.	36	70	
							,, Balance	317	84	
			1,210	00				1,210	00	

E. & O. E.

Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

Revised rules as proposed by the Provisional Committee at a General Meeting of the Subscribers to the Victoria Library and Reading Rooms on the 2nd October 1865.

1.—That the Government of the Institution be vested in a President, a Vice-President, five Directors, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, any three of whom to form a quorum.

2.—That the whole of the property of the Institution be vested in the Government thereof for the time being.

3.—That the names of Candidates for admission, duly proposed and seconded, be given in writing to the Honorary Secretary to be by him submitted to the Government of the Institution with whom shall rest the power of election.

4.—That each Member shall pay a Quarterly Subscription of Six Dollars in advance.

5.—That the Government meet on the first Wednesday in every month, and that there be a general meeting held in January each year for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for general business.

6.—That the Honorary Secretary be empowered to call a general meeting at not less than a fortnights notice on a written requisition signed by seven members.

7.—That any member who shall permit his subscription to remain six months in arrear shall cease to be a member.

8.—That Strangers shall be admitted to the privileges of the Reading Room on the introduction of a Member and payment of one Dollar a month each in advance, conditionally that no Book, Periodical or Paper be taken from the Library and that their names be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose.

9.—That Periodicals shall not be removed from the Table until after the arrival of the following mail; and that no Newspaper be removed at any time, unless by special permission of the Secretary.

10.—That not more than one work and one Periodical be given out to any Member at one time.

11.—That seven days be allowed to each Member for Reading a work in one or more volumes.

12.—That any Member losing or defacing a Book or Periodical be made to pay the cost of replacing it.

13.—That the Rooms shall be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 10 at night.

14.—That the Government shall have power to fine Members transgressing any of the Laws of the Society a sum not exceeding Six Dollars.

15.—Any member of the Library in good standing who may wish to establish Chess or Draught Clubs, Declamation or Debating Classes or Classes for the study of any living languages shall have the privilege of using the rooms of the Library at any time when they shall not be required for Library purposes, fire and Lights free of expense, provided that any further expenses attendant on these proposed Clubs or Classes shall be borne by the members thereof, and that no persons shall be admitted to the privileges of these classes or clubs who shall not at the time of their admission be subscribing members of the Library.

Police Reports.

BEFORE C. C. SMITH, ESQ.

HONGKONG, 2nd October, 1865.

A China boy of some twelve years of age was convicted of stealing an umbrella in the usual manner by snatching it and running off.

The Magistrate sentenced him to 14 days imprisonment and to be flogged. Upon hearing the latter part of the sentence the juvenile culprit burst into tears and requested to know how many strokes he was to get? Although the inside of the gaol had no terrors for him, the bare idea that the amount of flogging he was to receive, was to be left to the discretion of the gentleman who performs that operation, seemed to be quite overwhelming.

Another proof that the Chinese seat of honour is much more susceptible of an impression, than is the seat of intellect.

An ex-member of that *corps d'elite* the dock-yard police named Morgen, who by a slight foreign accent we should suspect to be of German origin, charged the chief mate of a ship now lying in the harbour with detaining $25 in money, two gold rings, &c., &c.

Complainant.—Mine name ish Morgen. I vash placeman at de tockyart. I vash left dere. I vash port de "Sheetar" ven dis man rrun me rround de sheef an put me in vun pote. I ask im for mine monish an denn he say he zuasage mine het. I vant mine twintic-fife dollarsh an mine golt rinks.

Defendant said he was chief officer of the British ship *Chetah* which was on the eve of sailing for California. This morning he discovered Morgen stowed away in a locker where he had been hidden for some days. He put him out of the ship. He had never seen Morgen before or did he known anything of his money. After Morgen had left the ship, one of the crew named Duffy came to him (the mate) and told him that some money which he (Duffy) had asked him to take charge of belonged to the ejected stowaway, he (Duffy) having received it from him to take care of. He returned the money to Duffy.

The Magistrate ordered the money to be restored to the ex-P. C.

We regret to learn that this colony is about to be deprived of the services of Herr Morgen whose sagacity whilst in the dockyard police, made him the admiration of Queen's Road East, and the envy of his *confreres*. We hope that the local Government will see fit to appoint him to an interpretership at the Police Court, where the society of congenial spirits might somewhat compensate for the edurcy pay that obtains in their employment.

Letter to the Editor.

To the Editor of the "Daily Press"

AMOY, 23rd September, 1865.

DEAR SIR,—I had the misfortune to lose my vessel, the British schooner *Sir Wm. Wallace* in Chinchew Bay in a typoon on the night of the 17th August last.

The Chinese, as usual, drove us from our vessel and on our landing, stripped us of everything, taking the ship's papers and not leaving us a shirt to our backs. Had it not been that my China supercargo told the wreckers that I had sent a letter to Amoy for assistance, the probability is we should have been all murdered.

From Chinchew I addressed a letter to Messrs Pasedag & Co. Amoy, who were to have acted as agents for my charterers had I reached that port, but who were utter strangers to me, I applied to them for assistance and begged of them to provide means to take myself and my crew to Amoy. I afterwards learned that my letter had duly reached the hands of Messr. Pasedag, and had been forwarded by them to the British Consul, who ordered H. M. gunboat *Janus* to Chinchew, but that vessel not being seaworthy, could not perform the voyage although she made several attempts. She consequently abandoned the undertaking and returned to Amoy, where H. M. sloop *Pelorus* was safely ensconced in apple-pie order. It was thought that this fine vessel should have come to our rescue, but it appears she is too good to be employed on any service which yields neither honor nor prize-money.

Messrs. Pasedag meanwhile, with great promptitude, chartered at their own expense, the Hamburg brig *Superb* to proceed to Chinchew, and there to render myself and crew every possible assistance. The brig arrived on the 8th instant when we lost no time in repairing on board, and in proceeding to Amoy. After reaching that port, having no shelter nor food provided for us, nor the means to procure any, we were allowed, through the kind hospitality of Captain von Appon of the *Superb*, to remain on board for some days. The British Consul has not up to this time provided for me in any way, and I am still living on the hospitality and charity of the ship-masters of this Port. I have lost every thing whatever, am entirely destitute, and an utter stranger in this place; I have not even the means to obtain a passage to any other place. I applied to the British Consul for copies of my extended protest, which were refused unless the fees, some $35 were first paid. Through the assistance of some kind strangers, I was provided with the means to comply with this demand, as without these documents neither the owners of the vessel, nor of the cargo could recover from the underwriters. It strikes me as being a new order of things, that a destitute British ship-master should have to go a begging for money to pay a British Consul his fees under such circumstances.

Allow me to express through the medium of your columns, my feelings of gratitude to Messrs Pasedag & Co., and to Captain von Appon of the Hamburg brig *Superb*, for the kindness and hospitality they have displayed to myself and my crew, and for the Christian aspirations which prompted them to extricate us from our perilous position at Chinchew.

I remain,
Dear Sir,
Your very respectfully,
R. A. TURNEY.
Master of the late schooner "Sir Wm. Wallace"

COMMERCIAL POSTCRIPTS.

Hongkong, 3rd October. 1865.

Opium.—Patna, Cash, new, $660, sales. Benares, Cash $650, quoted. Malwa, Cash $865, quoted. On time Patna, $667½, sales. Benares $650, quoted.

Cotton.—Japan none. Ningpo none. Shanghai, &c., $26 to $29. Bengal, $22 to 24, dull.

Rice.—Bengal and Manila $2.65 to $2.90 Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $2.45 to $2.70, sales firm.

Exchange.—Bank Bills on Calcutta 3d.s. 219 Rs.; at 10 days sight 219½, quoted. On Bombay 3d.s. 219 Rs; at 10 d.s. 219½ Rs., quoted. On London at 6 m.s. 4s. 6d. quoted.

Gold Leaf.—$22.70. Gold Bar, $22.60, offered.

Sycee.—8½ per cent premium, quoted.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co's. Shares, 6½ per cent premium, sellers.

Hongkong Gas Co.'s Shares, £4 per share premium, firm.

Union Dock Co.'s Shares, 5 per cent premium, quoted.

GOVERNMENT, LEGAL AND CONSULAR NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Her Majesty's Acting Attorney General on behalf of Her said Majesty, *Informant,*

and

WONG ACHEONG and CHUN HING How *Defendants.*

PURSUANT to a Decree made in this cause the said Wong Acheong one of the abovenamed Defendants his executors administrators or assigns is to come in within three Months from the date hereof to prove his or their claim in the Lot of Ground and Premises registered in the Land Office of this Colony as Section D. of Marine Lot Number 63 ———— and to the rents issues, and profits thereof now standing to the credit of this suit or in default thereof the said Lot of Ground and Premises will be sold pursuant to the said Decree.

Dated the twenty six day of August, 1865.

F. I. HAZELAND, Crown Solicitor.
Supreme Court House.

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NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon on TUESDAY, the 3rd October, Next from Persons willing to Contract for the erection of a Timber Jetty at this Yard.

Plans and Specifications may be seen and other information obtained on application to Mr. TAVES, at the Royal Engineers' Office, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4 P.M., any day Sundays, excepted.

A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper.

tf 2371 Hongkong, 18th September, 1865.

Insurances.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz.:—

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents.	¾ per Cent.
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their Contents	⅞ per Cent
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents.	1 per Cent

GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

tf 861 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz.—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town and their contents.	¾ per Cent
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents.	⅞ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents.	1 per Cent.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Phœnix Assurance.

tf 870 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPPANY

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and their contents	¾ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents.	⅞ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and of their contents.	1 per Cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents China Fire Insurance Company.

tf 873 Hongkong 8th March, 1865.

EASTERN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, REGISTERED.

THE business of this Company, has been Transferred to THE HOME AND COLONIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, who will settle all claims, on policies issued, by the first named Company.

TURNER & Co. *Agents.*

tf Hongkong, 8th July, 1864.

THE ELPHINSTON INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for THE ELPHINSTONE INSURANCE COMPANY of Bombay, are prepared to take Risks to the extent of one lakh of Rupees in Sailing Ships and one lakh and a half in Steamers, payable in Bombay, Kurrachee, Cochin, Colombo, Madras, Calcutta, Rangoon, Moulmein, Singapore, Shanghai, London, and Liverpool, at which Port the Company has organised branches.

JAMSETJEE, NUSSERWANJEE & Co.

490 Hongkong, 1st January, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS and issue Policies on any First-class, Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay, or London.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

tf Hongkong, 8th October 1863.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having received extended limits from the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz.:—

On any First-class Building or on Goods Stored therein in HONGKONG	$60,000
in MACAO	$15,000

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Agents Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool.

tf Hongkong, 8th May, 1863.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept INSURANCES against FIRE upon European Buildings and Merchandise, and upon Chinese Property.

LYALL, STILL & Co.

122 Hongkong, 20th October 1861.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are Prepared to grant Policies against Fire to any extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

SMITH KENNEDY & Co.

Hongkong, 5th August, 1861.

REDUCTION

In the rates of Premium for FIRE INSURANCE.

THE undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last,) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate in Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and or Furniture and effects thereof contained.

In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the Town the rate of premium will be three quarters per Cent in place of one per Cent per Annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences, so situated being detached or semi detached the rate will be further reduced to one half per cent.

The Royal's annual rates for fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice. viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, (removed from the Town) and their contents	½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents	¾ per Cent.
Offices and Godowns, and their contents	1 per Cent.
China Houses and their contents	First Class, 1¼ per Cent. Second Class 1½ per Cent

Other Risks by Special arrangement.

ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company

tf 714 Hongkong, 7th January, 1865.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at Hongkong, and Canton, are prepared to Grant POLICIES against FIRE on the usual Terms and Conditions. Losses settled without reference to England.

OXFORD & Co.

tf 202 Hongkong, 4th November, 1864.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $30,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored herein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

Insurances.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to Grant Policies at the usual Terms.

SMITH KENNEDY & Co.

203 Hongkong, 4th November, 1861.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE,

137 LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON,

JAMES HARTLEY & Co.,—*Managers.*

ESTABLISHED 1813.

THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.

THOS. SUTHERLAND; *Agent.*

tf Hongkong 17 March, 1864.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE undersigned have received authority for recent Mail to issue LIFE POLICIES for amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
Agents, Royal Insurance Co.

555 Hongkong, 7th January 186

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 2,000,000 in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000

Directors.

GEORGE TYSON Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.) *Chairman.*

J. H. BELL, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)

F. PORTER, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)

J. THORNE, Esq., (Messrs. Thorne, Bros & Co.)

R. R. TYERS, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant and Co.)

A. J. How, Esq. (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)

Agencies are established at the several ports China and Japan.

L. JOSEPHS, *Secretary.*

Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances viz.:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents.	¾ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents.	⅞ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents	1 per Cen.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company.

tf 869 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

CAPITAL £2,500,000 FULLY SUBSCRIBED.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for this Company, are prepared to accept Marine and Fire Risks on the usual terms.

THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

tf 780 Hongkong, 16th February, 1865.

Intimations.

PUN LUN. PHOTOGRAPHER.

Queen's Road, No. 53; Opposite the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

Takes Portraits, Groups, &c. in best style, also keeps constantly on hand the views of Hongkong, Canton, Honam and other Ports of China. And

Silks, Crapes, Ivory-ware, Lacquered-ware Matting, &c., &c., on moderate terms.

tf-88sb Hongkong, 2nd September, 1864.

A CARD.

PROFESSOR WHEELER would respectfully attract the attention of the Hongkong Public to the importance of having the Hair Cut, and Dressed in an Artistic manner and style. Appropriate to the Individual is the cut of the Hair; there can be no fixed or prevailing fashion without destroying almost universally the harmony of the *tout ensemble*. Indeed as diverse at is the contour of the human head and facial outline, just so peculiar should be the trim and arrangement of the Hair. This fact is acted upon by only those Hair-Cutters who possess an inherent judgment in matters of taste, cultivated and improved by incessant study and application. Of this rare class, Professor WHEELER, humbly claims to be one, and the Only One in this Colony, and he modestly but confidently invites all, who may be distrustful of his ability to give him at least a trial before pronouncing an adverse opinion. He may be found at all hours of the day in his Apartments adjoining the Private Entrance of the Oriental Hotel.

tf 1900 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

NOTICE.

BEING obliged to leave Hongkong on account of ill health, I recommend all my patrons who wish their Hair Cut and Dressed Artistically to call on Professor Wheeler, being the only one who thoroughly understands his Profession in Hongkong.

J. W. ELLIOTT.

tf 1901 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned will not be responsible for the purchase of any Stores for his Ships or Steamer, unless the consent of the Supercargo, shall thereto have been first obtained.

POH-CHIN-SOO, Siamese Ship Owner.

tf 1630 Hongkong, 6th June, 1865

YUE-CHEONG.

RETAIL TEA DEALER

BEGS to inform the community that he has received his supply of New son's Teas comprising choice Oolong, Pekoe and Souchong.

tf 1628 Hongkong, 6th July, 1865.

MITCHELL & SCOTT,

Ship Carpenters, Boat Builders, Caulkers, Spar Makers, &c., &c.

WEST POINT,
HONGKONG,
OPPOSITE THE SAILORS' HOME.

N.B.—Ship-smith's Work executed on the shortest notice and on most reasonable terms.

233 Hongkong, 11th November, 1864.

WEST POINT RICE MILLS.

THIS Establishment is now ready to receive orders for Rice to be cleaned, and the undersigned are prepared to receive, land, store, clean and ship Rice in any quantities. A new large and very powerful boiler has been expressly imported for the Mills, and large costly additions have been made to the Machinery which is now in full and perfect working order, the improvements which have been effected enabling the undersigned to guarantee the cleaning of Rice in a manner not to be equalled either by any other Mills in the East, or by the tedious hand-labour of the Chinese. The Mills can clean and turn out six hundred piculs of Rice in the working day and if greater expedition is required it can be attained. The Godowns are made of granite and are large, airy, and insurable against fire at low rates. The pier has sufficient water at all states of the tide to allow the largest cargo boats to lie, alongside and load or discharge.

Terms can be ascertained on application to the undersigned at the Mills where orders will be received. Persons unable to attend at the Mills will be waited on at their offices and all orders carefully and promptly executed.

DARRELL & Co.

tf 1873 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

WEST POINT SAWING AND PLAINING MILLS.

THIS Establishment having been fitted with several additions and improvements to the Machinery is now prepared to execute all orders for Sawing, and Planing wood and to undertake contracts for supplying wood-work for buildings, furniture and carpenters and joiners work generally. The sawing, planeing, morticing, moulding, and turning machines are of the latest and most perfect kind, and all work entrusted to the undersigned will be guaranteed to be turned out with a rapidity and in a style with which hand-labour cannot compete. Contracts undertaken either for the supply of the necessary wood or for the labour and workmanship.

Mr. A. D. Mitchell having had several years experience in establishments similar to those above mentioned, he will superintendent the work of same.

Terms can be ascertained on application at the Mills, West Point.

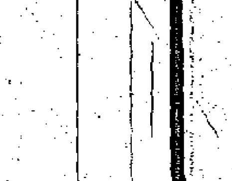
DARRELL & Co.

tf 1874 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

Intimations

M'GUFFIE
TINCTURE OF MYRRH
FOR THE TEETH &
THIS Preparation is strongly r many of the most eminent United Kingdom, as a useful an for the mouth, particularly when spongy; it also possesses the prop ing the breath, from whatever ca been rendered offensive.
Prepared only by JOHN M'Gr Castle Street, Liverpool; and sol by ALFRED WRIGHT, Chemist Wyndham Street.
tf 1901 Hongkong, 15th July

TO FAMILIES.



which have enabled him to dispos Stock of last season's Tea, begs Ladies and Gentlemen of this Masters of vessels and the public he has received a carefully selecte Choicest New Teas—comprising:—
Full Pekoe flavored *Souchongs.*
The finest *Kaisow* and other fine gous.
Delicate *Flowery Pekoes,*
Choice *Pouchongs.*
And extra superfine *Scented Tea*
He has also useful *Congous* and
All his Teas are carefully pac lb. and under, and are sold by re tic use,
Tea for Ships' Stores carefull packed.
YUE
29 and 31.
tf Hongkong, 1st January, 186

榮 記 煤 炭 WING KE
HONGKONG,
ENDICOTT'S BAZAAR,
Has for Sale
COALS OF ALL KIN
ly 935 Hongkong, 18th Ma

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT
HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OI the largest sale of any World.
The Pills are the finest purifie rators of the blood ever known. correct all disorders of the Live are invaluable in case of Dyser general Family Medicine have n
The Ointment will cure any o or ulcer, even if of twenty years in all cases of skin diseases how such as lepra, scurvy, itch, and ing irritations of the skin, it ma as a perfect cure; indeed, for al plaints it stand unrivalled throug These famous Remedies can be Patent Medicine Vendors in Sian kong, Shanghai, and in fact throug of China, India, and the Island Archipelago, with copious direct each pot or box in Chinese (or in euage), and at a very reasonable Agency in Hongkong:—The H pansary.
tf Hongkong, 30th October, 18

Notices of Fir

I Have this day admitted into THOMAS MERCER. The bu hereafter conducted under the s & MERCER.
THOMA
Public Tea Inspector and Comm
ft 1374 13.5 Canton, 1st May

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility CH. F. BIELFELD in our F the 1st of August 1865.
ARNEM
tf 2416 Hongkong, 23rd Sept

NOTICE.
MR. JOHN MOUL is authoriz Firm.
2w 2455 30-S Canton, 27th S

THE business of the undersig to be shortly closed, person against them are requested to once before the 1st of October
C. B. W
tf 2391 Hongkong, 21st Sept

THE Interest and responsibility signed in the above Firm Co., ceased on the 31st of May, tinue to occupy the lower part of the Queen's Road, until the bala is cleared off, which will be sold rate prices, wholesale only.
Terms, Cash
tf 1694 Hongkong, 14th June

NOTICE.
OUR Business in London hith under the style of J. F. and that in Hankow under the st MOFFAT, will henceforth at both p on under our own firm.
We have also opened a Branch Yokohama.
Mr. ROBERT CARRICK DONALDS Mr. FRANZ BORNTRAEGER have admitted partners in our Firm.
TRAUT
6m 1612 Shanghai, 1st, June

NOTICE.
MR. EDWARD PETTIT, has th mitted a Partner in our F Mr. ERNEST DEACON, is aut our Firm per procuration.
DE
197 Canton, 1st January 186

MR. GEORGE FREDERICK WEL a partner in our firm in C kong.
AUGUSTINE H
tf 1911 China June 1st 186

THE Interest and Responsib KOOPMANSCHAP in our the 30th of June last.
BO
564 Hongkong, 31st Decemb

THE Business of the undersi THE INSPECTOR AND Co at this Port will from this da under the Style of KINNEAR & C
W.
605 Foochow, 1st January, 1

NOTICE.
THE authority of Mr. W. H sign our Firm ceased on the From the 1st May, inst., Mr. J. has authority to sign our Firm.
FA
tf 1250 Hongkong, 1st May,

NOTICE.
THE Interest and responsib HALLENSTEBEN, in our Fir
GR
Japan 31st December, 1864.

MR. H. BOMEYER has been ad in our Firm at this port.
GR
tf 751 Nagasaki, 1st Februa

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having ta siness of Messrs. BOWRA & any from Mr. W. A. Bowra the firm this day beg to solicit the patronage hitherto so libe
F. M.
GEO. A
Hongkong 1st May, 1862.

NOTICE.
MR. JOSEPH FARBRIDGE HOL ed to sign our Firm per this date.
HOLLIDAY
tf 2255 Hongkong, 28th Au

NOTICE.
WE have to-day authorized sign our Firm in China
Shanghae, 20th April, 1865.

NOTICE.
MR. C. HAGEN having bee our Firm our Business, conducted under the style of L
LE
3m 2315 S-S Tabao, 1st Se

Intimations.

M'GUFFIE'S
TINCTURE OF MYRRH & BORAX
FOR THE TEETH & GUMS.

THIS Preparation is strongly recommended by many of the most eminent Dentists in the United Kingdom, as a useful and pleasant wash for the mouth, particularly when the gums are spongy; it also possesses the property of sweetening the breath, from whatever cause it may have been rendered offensive.

Prepared only by JOHN M'GUFFIE & Co., 24 Castle Street, Liverpool; and sold in Hongkong by ALFRED WRIGHT, Chemist and Druggist, Wyndham Street.

tf 1901 Hongkong, 15th July, 1865.

TO FAMILIES.

YUE-CHONG, Retail Tea Dealer, 29 and 31, Scott's-Lane, having to return thanks for the patronage and support extended to him, which have enabled him to dispose of his entire Stock of last season's Tea, begs to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of this Colony—also Masters of vessels and the public at large—that he has received a carefully selected supply of the Choicest New Teas—comprising:—

Full Pekoe flavored *Souchongs*.
The finest *Kaisow* and other fine Caper Congous.
Delicate *Flowery Pekoes*.
Choice *Powchongs*.
And extra superfine *Scented Teas*.
He has also useful *Congous* and *Souchongs*.

All his Teas are carefully packed in papers, lb. and under, and are sold by retail for domestic use.

Tea for Ships' Stores carefully selected and packed.

YUE-CHONG,
29 and 31, Scott's' Lane.
tf Hongkong, 1st January, 1865.

榮記煤炭 WING KEE, 興隆大街
HONGKONG,
ENDICOTT'S BAZAAR, No. 15,
Has for Sale
COALS OF ALL KINDS.
1y 935 Hongkong, 18th March, 1865.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT & PILLS.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT have the largest sale of any Medicine in the World.

The Pills are the finest purifiers and regenerators of the blood ever known. They speedily correct all disorders of the Liver and Stomach, are invaluable in case of Dysentery, and as a general Family Medicine have no equal.

The Ointment will cure any old wound, sore or ulcer, even if of twenty years standing, and in all cases of skin diseases, however malignant, such as lepra, scurry, itch, and all other annoying irritations of the skin, it may be relied upon as a perfect cure; indeed, for all external complaints it stand unrivalled throughout the world. These famous Remedies can be obtained of all Patent Medicine Vendors in Siam, Pekin, Hongkong, Shanghai, and in fact throughout the whole of China, India, and the Island of the Oriental Archipelago, with copious directions affixed to each pot or box in Chinese (or in any other language), and at a very reasonable price.

Agency in Hongkong:—The Hongkong Dispensary.

tf Hongkong, 30th October, 1865.

Notices of Firms.

I Have this day admitted into partnership, Mr. THOMAS MERCER. The business will be hereafter conducted under the style of THOMAS, & MERCER.

THOMAS THOMAS,
Public Tea Inspector and Commission Agent.
ft 1374 13.5 Canton, 1st May, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of MR. ALEX. CH. F. BIELFELD in our Firm ceased on the 1st of August 1865.

ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2418 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN MOUL is authorized to sign our Firm.

MOUL & Co.
2w 2455 30-S Canton, 27th September, 1865.

THE business of the undersigned being about to be shortly closed, persons having claims against them are requested to send them in at once before the 1st of October next.

C. B. WADIA & Co.
tf 2391 Hongkong, 21st September, 1165.

THE Interest and responsibility of the undersigned in the above Firm of H. MARSH & Co., ceased on the 31st of May, but he will continue to occupy the lower part of the premises in the Queen's Road, until the balance of his Stock is cleared off, which will be sold at very moderate prices, wholesale only.

Terms Cash.

H. MARSH.
tf 1694 Hongkong, 14th June, 1865.

NOTICE.

OUR Business in London hitherto conducted under the style of J. F. H. TRAUTMANN and that in Hankow under the style of R O. D. MOFFAT, will henceforth at both places be carried on under our own firm.

We have also opened a Branch of our Firm at Yokohama.

Mr. ROBERT CARRICK DONALDSON MOFFAT, and Mr. FRANZ BORNTRAEGER have this day been admitted partners in our Firm.

TRAUTMANN & Co.
6m 1612 Shanghai, 1st, June, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD PETTIT, has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

Mr. ERNEST DEACON, is authorized to Sign our Firm per procuration.

DEACON & Co.
497 Canton, 1st January 1865.

MR. GEORGE FREDERICK WELLER, is admitted a partner in our firm in China and Hongkong.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1013 China June 1st 1865.

THE Interest and Responsibility of MR. C KOOPMANSCHAP in our Firm ceased on the 30th of June last.

BOSMAN & Co.
564 Hongkong, 31st December, 1864.

THE Business of the undersigned as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND COMMISSION AGENT at this Port will from this date be carried on under the Style of KINNEAR & Co.

W. B. KINNEAR.
605 Foochow, 1st January, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE authority of Mr. W. H. VICKERMAN to sign our Firm ceased on the 30th April last.

From the 1st May, inst., Mr. JAMES W. PEARCE has authority to sign our Firm.

FAWCETT & Co.
tf 1281 Hongkong, 1st May, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and responsibility of Mr. W HALLENSTEEEN, in our Firm has ceased.

GROSSER & Co.
Japan, 31st December, 1864.

MR. H. BOMEYER has been admitted a partner in our Firm at this port.

GROSSER & Co.
tf 781 Nagasaki; 1st February, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having taken over the business of Messrs. BOWRA & Co. in this Colony from Mr. W. A. BOWRA (who retires from the firm this day) beg to solicit a continuance of the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed.

F. M. HARSANT.
GEO. A. F. NORRIS.
Hongkong 1st May, 1862.

NOTICE.

MR. JOSEPH FARBRIDGE HOLLIDAY is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from this date.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 2235 Hongkong, 28th August, 1865. 29-8

NOTICE.

WE have to-day authorized Mr. H. OHL to sign our Firm in China.

OXFORD & Co.
Shanghae, 20th April, 1865. tf 29.4. 1268

NOTICE.

MR. C. HAGEN having become a Partner in our Firm our Business will be hereafter conducted under the style of LESSLER & HAGEN.

LESSLER & Co.
3m 2315 8-S Takao, 1st September, 1865.

Notices of Firms.

WE have this day admitted Mr. W. HOLTZAPFEL as a Partner in our Firm.

LINCKER & Co.
tf 2179 Swatow, 16th August, 1865. 22-8

NOTICE.

MR. PATMORE is no longer in our employ.

FAWCETT & Co.
tf 2224 Hongkong, 26th August, 1865.

NOTICE.

I have this day established myself at this Port as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

G. J. MESTERN.
3m 2311 8-S Canton, 1st September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of the late Mr. WM. OTTO PAULY in our Firm ceased on the 3rd August, 18 5.

BEHRE & Co.
3m 2211 Saigon, 17th August, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. W. C. VAN OORDT, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.

BOSMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned has this day established himself at Ningpo as General Commission Merchant under the style of ERNEST MAJOR & Co.

ERNEST MAJOR.
tf 1644 Ningpo, 1st June, 1865.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established ourselves at this Port under the style of RADECKER, HAGEDORN & Co., as Merchants and Commission Agents.

R. RADECKER.
F. W. HAGEDORN.

Office No. 4, Stanley Street, corner of Pottinger Street.

tf 1783 Hongkong, 1st July, 1865.

WE have this day established ourselves in Shanghai as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTORS, AUCTIONEERS, GENERAL BROKERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS, under the style and firm of MOURILYAN & SAMS.

WALTER MOURILYAN
W. F. B. SAMS.
3m 2090 Shanghai, 1st August 1865.8-8

NOTICE.

WE have this day Established a Branch of our Firm in Hongkong.

Office Stanley Street No. 19, corner of Pottinger Street.

RAYNAL & Co.
6m 2202 Macao, 23rd August, 1865, 8-24

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. EDWARD WEBB in our Firm ceased on the 30th June 861.

DENT & Co.
3m 1918 Hongkong, 17th July, 1865.

NOTICE.

I Have this day admitted MR. J. W. WOOD, a Partner in my Business, which will in future be carried on under the Style and Firm of CERRUTI, WOOD & Co.

G. E. CERRUTI.
395 Ningpo, 10th February, 1864.

WE have established a Branch of our Firm at Chefoo, and Mr. J. D. THORBURN will sign our Firm per procuration at that place.

MEADOWS & Co.
tf-2800 Tientsin, 2nd November, 1863.

NOTICE.

HAVING this day admitted MR. GEORGE AUSTEN MEDLEN as a Partner, the Practice hitherto conducted by me at No. 10, Club Chambers, will in future be carried on under the style and Firm of RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., Civil Engineers, Architects, and Surveyors.

S. B. RAWLING.
tf 1095 Hongkong, 8th April, 1865.

NOTICE.

DURING the absence of our Mr. CHARLES H. MORGAN, Mr. EDW. NORTON is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 2318 Hongkong, 9th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership hitherto carried on by the undersigned EDWARD TOWNEND, and by RICHARD BELL DAVIS, at Hankow, as Commission Agents, under the style of DAVIS, TOWNEND & Co., has been dissolved by consent.

EDWARD TOWNEND.
238 Hankow, 1st September, 1864.

NOTICE.

I have admitted Mr. WILLIAM PITCAIRN GALTON to a Partnership in my Business of Public Tea Inspector and Commission Agent, which will in future be carried on under the style of E. H. HOW & Co.

E. HENRY HOW.
1m 2373 813 Foochow, 1st September, 1865.

WE have this day established ourselves at this Port as Merchants and Commission Agents under the style of JANSSEN, VASMER & Co.

J. T. JANSSEN.
D. VASMER.
3m 1839 Chefoo, 6th July, 1865.

I Have this day established myself at the Pagoda Anchorage, as Marine Surveyor and General Commission Agent.

JOHN C. BAYNTON,
Pagoda Anchorage,
tf 1914 Foochow, 12th July, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. HENRY SMITH has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm which now consists of Mr. JAMIESON ELLES, Mr. EDMUND PYE, and Mr. HENRY SMITH.

ELLES & Co.
tf 1785 Amoy, 1st July, 1865.

NOTICE.

WE the undersigned mutually agree to dissolve the co-partnership which has existed between us, and the co-partnership is accordingly dissolved from this date.

J. B. STEVENS.
JOHN CLAY.

IN reference to the above the Business will be carried on by the undersigned who will liquidate all claims against the Firm of CLAY & STEVENS.

JOHN CLAY.
tf 2207 Hongkong, 25th August, 1865.

NOTICE.

MESSRS MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. having this day taken over our interest in our CARGO BOATS will in future conduct the Business thereof.

R. McGREGOR & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

WITH reference to the above the undersigned are now prepared to Ship, land and Store Cargo,

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. JOHN STURJE & Co., having transferred their Business to us we have this day removed to the Premises No. 24 and 25 Praya, lately occupied by the said Firm, and will henceforth carry on Business under the style of PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co., successors to JOHN STURJE & Co.

PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.
2275 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Co-partnership hitherto existing between Messrs. John Forster, Thos. Lancaster Larken, Hugh Rose Innes, and James Milisch carrying on Business under the style or Firm of John Forster & Co., has this day been dissolved.

The Business will carried on in future by Mr. John Forster, under the Style or Firm of John Forster & Co., and Mr. Thos. Lancaster Larken is authorized to sign the Firm.

tf 1476 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1865.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO.

Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. E. L. LANGA, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.

GILMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 25th April, 1863.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. A. W. P. KUP, in our Firm ceased on the 31st ultimo, and Mr. RICHARD DEACON, has been admitted a partner.

JOHN, BURD & Co.
495 Hongkong, January, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership between Mr. R. SAYLE, and Mr. T. PEACOCK, in the Victoria Exchange Establishment under the name of THOMAS PEACOCK will from this date be carried on under the style and firm of SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.

Mr. W. J. STERRY is authorised to sign our firm per procuration at branch establishment Shanghai.

SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Victoria Exchange.
tf 2452 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED
LONDON	Layard	Green	Hongkong	Gibb Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Yaratilda	Donough	Whampoa	Smith Kennedy & Co.	Quick dispatch.
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Maria Ross	Ross	Hongkong	Parker & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Nil Disperandum	Downing	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Peiho	Hattrick	Hongkong	Landstain & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NEW YORK	Sea Serpent	Windsor	Whampoa	Olyphant & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Tan Jore	Martin	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Tynedale	Johnson	Whampoa	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
TIENTSIN	Ocean Bride	Milton	Hongkong	E. & J. Meyer	Quick dispatch.
VALPARAISO	Francis Palmer	Lamb	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Libelle	Kolper	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Bengairn	Allan	Hongkong	Bosman & Co.	To-morrow.
SAIGON	Chene	Radenac	Hongkong	Reynvaan Brothers & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE	Prospero	Schultz	Hongkong	Oxford & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Hamlin	Werlwrite	Hongkong	Parker & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Celestial	Greatorax	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NAGASAKI	Miranda	Woller	Hongkong	Bourjau Hubener & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Yesso, str.	Cairns	Hongkong	Dent & Co.	Quick dispatch.
MANILA direct	Minerva	Diaz	Hongkong	Reynolds & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI & HANKOW	Oriflamme str.	Lane	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	To-morrow, at 2 P.M.
S.TOW, AMOY, & F.CHOW	Ta-pang-nyo str.	Grindle	Hongkong	D. Lapraik	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI	Rona str.	Morrison	Hongkong	Jardine Matheson & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & PENANG	Jeddo	Stephenson	Hongkong	Rozario & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NINGPO	Ophelia	Tanjes	Hongkong	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & BOMBAY	John Stuart	Lemon	Hongkong	F. B. Cama & Co.	On 22nd Inst.
SINGAPORE & GALLE &c.	Australian str.	Hamlin	Hongkong	R. S. Walker & Co.	Quick dispatch.

STEAM TO CANTON.

The "*Plymouth Rock*," To-day, at 9 A.M.
The "*White Cloud*," To-day, at 9 A.M.

STEAM TO MACAO.

The "*Fire Dart*," To-day, at 8.30 A.M.
The "*Fei-seen*," To-morrow, at 1 P.M.

For Freight or Charter.

THE A 1. 11 years Clipper Barque
"OXUS,"
Captain D. Reid, 536 Tons Register.
Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2361 Hongkong, 16th September, 1865.

THE A 1 British Barque
"FAIRY BELLE,"
of 518 Tons Register.
Apply to
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
tf 2462 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

THE New A 1 Clipper Barque
"SHAKESPEARE,"
Captain Thomas, of 656 Tons Register.
Apply to
JARDINE MATHESON & Co.
tf 2394 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

THE A 1 Clipper Barque
"GEORGE AVERY,"
of 467 Tons,
Apply to
THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.
tf 2283 Hongkong, 5th September, 1865.

THE A 1 British Ship
"BENVOIRLICH,"
of 600 Tons Register, Captain Jenkins
Apply to
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1576 Hongkong, 13th June, 1865.

THE A 1 12 British Iron-Ship
"ERATO,"
Captain Thompson, of 1205 Tons register.
Apply to
BIRLEY & Co.
tf 2168 Hongkong, 19th August, 1865.

THE A 1 British Barque
"HAVELOCK,"
Captain Cook, of 454 Tons Register.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1701 Hongkong, 15th June, 1865.

THE A 1 British Ship
"FONTENAYE,"
of 634 tons Register.
Apply to the
BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
tf 647 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

To any Part of the World.
THE fine fast Sailing Ship
"BRITON,"
510 Tons Reister.
Apply to
D. FLEMING.
Master.
tf 1626 Hongkong, 8th June, 1865.

THE A 1 14 years British Clipper Ship
"ZEMINDAR,"
Captain Short, 1030 Tons Register.
Apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 1495 Hongkong, 25th May, 1865.

THE A 1 13 years British Ship
"SIR HARRY PARKES,"
Captain Chapman, 806 Tons Register.
Apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 1497 Hongkong, 25th May, 1865.

THE A 1 British Barque
"MIGRATOR,"
Coleman, master, of about 7,500 piculs carrying capacity.
For particulars apply to
D. LAPRAIK.
tf Hongkong, 3rd May, 1864. 1300

For Sale, Freight or Charter.

FOR SALE.
THE First Class Russian Brig
"CAROLINE,"
Bunge, Master, of 5000 piculs carrying capacity.
For particulars apply to
WM. PUSTAU & Co.
tf 2466 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

FOR SALE.
THE A 1 British Barque
"FORTUNA,"
of 496 Tons Register.
For further particulars apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 1714 Hongkong, 27th June, 1865.

FOR SALE.
THE French Schooner
"JOSEPHINE AMEDEE."
tf 45 Tons Register, and 170 Tons of 50 feet Capacity.
Apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON, & Co.
tf 1417 Hongkong, 18th May, 1865.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR LONDON.
THE A 1 14 years British Ship
"CHRYSOLITE,"
Captain Varian, will load here, and at Macao, for the above Port, and have quick despatch.
For freight or passage, apply to
JOHNSON, & Co.
tf 1489 Hongkong, 24th May, 1865.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.
THE A 1 Spanish Barque
"MINERVA,"
Diaz Master, will have quick despatch for the above port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
8d 2441 Hongkong, 27th September, 1865.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.
THE A 1 British Barque
"PEIHO,"
Captain Hattrick having engaged the chief part of her cargo will meet with quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
2w 2397 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1865.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR LABUAN AND SINGAPORE.
THE A 1 British Steamer
"STIRLING,"
(hourly expected from the Coast,) will have immediate despatch for the above ports.
For freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2439 Hongkong, 20th September, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE, POINT DE GALLE AND BOMBAY.
THE British India Steam Navigation Co's Steamer
"AUSTRALIAN,"
Captain G. Hamlin will be despatched for the above ports on or about the 12th Instant.
For freight or Passage, apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2471 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI AND HANKOW.
THE Steam-ship
"YESSO,"
Captain Cairns, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.
For freight or passage, apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 2477 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.
(should sufficient inducement offer).
THE A 1 British barque
"JEDDO,"
Captain Stephenson, will have quick despatch as above.
For freight or Passage, apply to
ROZARIO & Co.
tf 2479 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY
THE A 1 British Ship
"JOHN STUART,"
Captain Lemon, will be despatched for the above ports on the 22nd instant. She has room for a few tons of light goods.
For freight of which apply to
F. B. CAMA & Co.
3w 2412 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

FOR NINGPO.
THE first class Hamburg Barque
"OPHELIA,"
Tonjes, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will have quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
PUSTAU & Co.
tf 2175 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI AND HANKOW.
THE Steam-ship
"ORIFLAMME,"
Captain Lane, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 5th instant, at 2 P.M.
For freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2469 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steamer
"RONA,"
Captain Morrison, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.
For freight or passage apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf 2465 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.
THE Steam-Ship
"TAPANGNYO,"
Captain Grindle, will leave for the above ports on FRIDAY Next, the 6th inst., at 8 A.M.
For freight or Passage apply to
D. LAPRAIK.
tf 2461 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE A 1 British Clipper Barque
"TYNEDALE,"
Captain Johnson, will load at Whampoa for the above port and will meet with quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
2411 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE Favorite American Clipper Ship
"TANJORE,"
Captain Martin, having three fourths of her cargo engaged, will have quick despatch for New York, loading here and at Whampoa.
For freight apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2415 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE.
THE Mecklenburg Barque
"PROSPERO,"
Schultz Master, will meet with quick despatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2448 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

FOR LONDON.
THE
"ANNIE ARCHBELL,"
Captain Blacklock, now loading at Whampoa, having superior accommodation has room for a limited number of Passengers.
Apply to the Captain on Board or to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf 2383 Hongkong, 19th September, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE.
THE A 1 British Barque
"CELESTIAL,"
Captain Greatorax, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2362 Hongkong, 16th September, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE.
THE A 1 British Clipper Ship
"HAMLIN,"
1191 tons register, will have quick despatch as above.
For freight or Passage, apply to
PARKER & Co.
tf 2366 Hongkong, 16th September, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.
THE A 1 French Barque
"CHENE,"
Captain Radenac, of about 7500 Piculs capacity will have quick dispatch for the above port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
tf 2307 Hongkong, 8th September, 1865.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.
THE A 1 British Clipper-Brig
"NIL DISPERANDUM,"
Captain Downing, will have immediate despatch.
For freight apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2310 Hongkong, 8th September, 1865.

FOR NAGASAKI.
THE A 1 Prussian Brig
"MIRANDA,"
Captain Woller will load for the above port, and will meet with quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
BOURJAU HUBENER & Co.
tf 2300 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE Favorite Clipper-Ship
"SEA SERPENT,"
Windsor, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged will load at Whampoa and have immediate despatch for the above port.
For balance of freight or passage, having superior accomodations,
Apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 2174 Hongkong, 21st August, 1865.

FOR VALPARAISO.
THE A 1 American Clipper Barque
"FRANCIS PALMER,"
Captain Lamb, will load for the above port, should inducement offer.
For freight apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2245 Hongkong, 30th August, 1865.

FOR THE CAPE AND LONDON.
THE A 1 British Brig
"LAYARD,"
Captain Green, of 174 Tons Register, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.
For freight or Passage apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1872 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 Bremen Clipper Barque
"LIBELLE"
Captain Kolper, will have early despatch as above.
For freight or passage apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2322 Hongkong, 11th September, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 British Clipper-ship
"CHETAH,"
Captain Reid, will have immediate dispatch.
For freight apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2309 Hongkong, 8th September, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 British Brig
"BENGAIRN,"
Allan Master, will sail as above (full or not full) positively TO-MORROW, the 5th October.
For freight apply to
BOSMAN & Co.
tf 2419 Hongkong, 25th September, 1865.

Intimation.

PARISIAN BAKERS.
SUPERFINE BREAD OF EVERY KIND.
Hollywood Road, No. 74.
D. GUGLIERI.
J. FERRA.
tf Hongkong, 5th May 1865. 1312

BOTEFUHR & Co., Shipwrights, Blacksmiths &c., having provided themselves with a heaving down Hulk are now prepared to undertake any repairs that Ships, visiting this Port may require to Hull or Spars.
149 Swatow, 26th October, 1864.

YUE-CHONG.
29, and 31, SCOTT LANE.
MATTING for Export at Canton, wholesale rates four, five, and six quarter, white, checked and figured, of all qualities.
Also MATS for Bags or Silk or Tea wrappers.
1 Hongkong, 1st October, 1864.

NEW MISSION CHURCH.

AT the laying of the Memorial Stone of St. Stephen's Mission Church. C. H. STORRY, Esq., offered to give $50 provided that Nine other Gentlemen would meet his donation with a similar sum to make up the deficiency of $500 in the Building Fund.

Three Gentlemen having kindly responded, the Rev. C. F. WARREN, earnestly hopes that six others will speedily come forward and help him in this matter that there may be no debt on the Building when it is completed.

St. Paul's College.
tf 1915 Hongkong, 17th July, 1865.

ALFRED WRIGHT.
FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMIST
8, 14, WYNDHAM STREET, VICTORIA,
Opposite the Magistracy,
HONGKONG.
Prescriptions accurately prepared. Medicine Chests fitted with the best London Drugs, &c.
tf 1270 1.5.1865.

LIN-CHEONG.
No. 52½.
QUEEN'S ROAD.
HONGKONG.
Making an Repairing all kinds of Iron and Copper Wares.
tf Hongkong, 21st April, 1864.

NOTICE.

IN consequence of the absconding of one of our employees, and the fact of our signature having been forged to Bills, we beg to notify that after this date and until further notice, we will not be responsible for any Bills, Cheques, Bills of Exchange, or any other documents, *which besides our own signature* DO NOT BEAR THE STAMPS OF OUR FIRM.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN
tf 2093 Hongkong, 8th August, 1865.

NOTICE.

A GOOD EUROPEAN COOK (of Switzerland) wishes to find an employment, can give good reference.

Address E. B. Office of this Paper.
tf 2261 Hongkong, 31st August, 1865

NOTICE.

THE undersigned beg to announce to the Public that, since they established themselves as TEA DEALERS at Macao in 1860, they personally go to Yee-shan to collect the Tea of Ming-ngam, First crop Tea, Oolong, and Pouchong of the best description, and convey to Macao for sale on the following chops, viz.:—Yeefong-wokee, Kintye-wokee, Yeewo-hingkee, Yeching-Kwongkee, Mingfong-wokee, Ulan-hingkee, Hangfong-wokee, and Chunpo-wokee, and also the Tonacoo of Fook-shing-cheong Chop which bears the stamp of a "Red-deer." As there are some people who shamelessly take our Label in selling the same, Gentlemen, wishing to patronize us, are requested to apply to.

YEE-YEE-CHEONG,
Tea Dealers, Macao.
2m 2338 Macao, 13th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

HAVING received a Power of Attorney from A. BERNARD Esq., it is requested that all parties due to the Oriental Hotel, to the 16th March, last will make an immediate settlement of their accounts, or legal proceedings will be taken for recovery of the same.

S. WORMS.
tf 1728 Hongkong, 24th June, 1865.

WANTED by a Young Man just arrived from the Colonies, a situation as Clerk in a Mercantile Office, can Keep Books.

Address E. Office of this Paper.
tf 1718 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1865.

SILVEIRA & Co.,
LATE HALSEY & Co.
PHOTOGRAPHERS,
Queen's Road opposite Oriental Bank.
tf 2076 Hongkong, 5th August, 1865.

STEAM TO
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES, & SOUTHAMPTON.
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS & CALCUTTA.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ships "BARODA," with *Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie* and *Cargo* will leave this for the above Places on SUNDAY, the 15th October, at 9 A.M.

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 13th October, SPECIE until Noon on the 14th; and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 13th.

For Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply at the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bill of Lading, or with Parcels; and the company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and condition of the Company's Black Bills to Lading.

THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent.
Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office,
Hongkong, 28th September, 1865.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE OF REDUCTION OF PASSAGE MONEY.

IN the year 1857 the Directors made a considerable reduction in the Company's rates of Passage Money, which continued in force till 1861.

In that year owing to the extraordinary rise in the Cost and Freight of Coals, and the enhanced price of all descriptions of Naval Stores, the Directors were reluctantly compelled to return to the rates of Passage Money previously in force. They are now happy to state that a decrease in the price of Coal and other expenses of Steam Navigation enables them to reduce the Company's Passage rates to the undernoted scale, which will take effect from and after the 1st June next, viz:—

From Hongkong to:—

Suez,	$460
Malta,	510
Marseilles,	530
Gibraltar,	530
Southampton,	550

Reserved Rates for Single Persons.

Suez,	$920
Malta,	1,020
Marseilles,	1,060
Gibraltar,	1,060
Southampton,	1,100

Reserved Rates for Married Couples.

Suez,	$1,160
Malta,	1,260
Gibraltar,	1,318
Marseilles,	1,348
Southampton,	1,368

The charges for Children are in proportion to the above.

The above rates are exclusive of the amount payable to the Egyptian Transit Administration for conveyance of Passengers through Egypt, viz:—

For First-class Passengers, $32
Children above three and under ten years, half-fare.

By Order of the Managing Directors,
THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, 30th May, 1864.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF TREASURE, &c.

TO facilitate the work of Shippers, the Company have arranged to receive any Treasure intended for Shipment in their steamers at their Offices in the Queen's Road.

Treasure will be received in this manner any day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., up to the day preceding that of the Steamer's departure. Should the hour fixed for leaving be later than Noon, shipments will be received on the day of departure, from 7 to 9 A.M.

Shippers desiring to avail of this arrangement, will please send along with their Treasure, Shipping Orders and Receipts carefully filled up with Marks, Description, and Destination, and if the Bills of Lading are delivered at the same time the work will be greatly facilitated.

The Company of course except the "risk of boats," &c., as covered by ordinary Marine Insurance.

With reference to the foregoing notice, it is hereby intimated that the Company's Godowns are now ready for the reception of Opium and other Cargo for shipment in the Company's Steamers, under the same conditions as stated above.

THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, 24th November, 1863.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

NOTICE.

DURING the absence of the undersigned Mr. P. LACAT will act as Agent for the above Company.

C. BERTRAND.
tf 2217 Hongkong, 26th August, 1865.

Intimations.

NOTICE.
Dr. D. JAYNE'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.

THE increased demand for these Valuable Medicines, viz.—
Expectorant,
Alterative,
Hair Tonic,
Liquid Hair Dye, &c.,
Has induced the proprietor to Establish an Agency for the sale of the same in this Colony and they can now always be procured wholesale or retail at the,

MEDICAL HALL,
37 *Queen's Road.*
1129 tf Hongkong, 13th April, 1865.

ALL Persons having Claims against Captain J. STURJE, and W. W. WAHLENBERG, trading under the Firm of JOHN STURJE & Co., are requested to send in their Bills for payment on or before the 10th September Next, and all Persons indebted to the said Firm are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN STURJE & Co.
tf 2145 Hongkong, 16th August, 1865.

TELEGRAPH AGENCY, POINT DE GALLE.

MR THOMAS CLARK continues to act as Agent for "REUTER'S TELEGRAPH COMPANY," and will receive and forward all Messages to Europe, or *vice versa*, by the Indo-European line, or via Suez, carefully registering the same.

tf 3-5 Galle, 13th April, 1865. 1629

BOOKBINDING.
REDUCTION IN PRICES!

A GINDELL, Bookbinder, in returning his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal support he has hitherto received, begs most respectfully to notify that he is prepared to execute all work entrusted to his care in a first rate manner at considerably reduced prices.

All his materials are of the best English Manufacture. Books of every description bound in the neatest and most elegant styles.

A. GINDELL,
Wellington-street.
tf 071 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1865.

Post-Office Notificatiosn.

A Mail will close
For SHANGHAI.—Per "*Oriflamme*," To-morrow, the 5th Instant, at 1 P.M.

MAILS will be made up at this Office per the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Contract Packet "*BARODA*" on SATURDAY, the 14th October at 6 P.M.

To the United Kingdom via Marseilles, and via Southampton; to France and other Continental States (in a closed Mail to France); to Singapore, Penang, Batavia, Ceylon, Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, and all parts of India; to Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, New Zealand, and Tasmania, (via Point de Galle,) to Mauritius, Suez, Aden, Malta, Gibraltar, and Alexandria; and a Supplementary Mail will be made up on the following morning. Letters, received from 6 to ½ past 7 o'clock for a late fee of 12 cents each; Newspapers 2 cents each.

Registered Letters will not be received after 5 o'clock P.M. on the 14th October.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the Window set apart for the purpose East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently Stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, a fine of one shilling being charged in addition to the postage due upon all such Letters, which may be posted before 6 P.M. on the 14th October.

Insufficiently Stamped, and unstamped, correspondence, addressed to places to which it cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers; Letters of this class, which may be posted before 6 P.M. on the day of closing the Mail, will be returned during the day; but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, which may be posted on the morning of the departure of the Packet, will be returned until after the closing of the Mail.

The Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees" when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left hand corner of the correspondence.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1 of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd *January*, 1864, and no other Coins but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
Hongkong, 28th September, 1865

The Undersigned having detected and brought to conviction 3 Chinese (in the service of a Bank and 2 Mercantile houses) for Stealing Postage stamps, and it having come to his knowledge in the course of an investigation into these cases that a considerable traffic is carried on by Chinese servants in buying and selling Postage Stamps the Community is advised to use every precaution for the safe keeping of Stamps, to see that a regular account of the number and value of those used is kept, and also to be careful that no Postage Stamps are purchased except at this Office.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 7th September, 1865.

It is hereby notified for general information that under and by virtue of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st June, 1865 the Sea rate of postage on letters carried by British Contract Packet between Hongkong and the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, St Helena, Ascension, Mauritius, the several Australian Colonies and all parts of India, will henceforward be levied at the following rates:—

FOR A LETTER,
Under ½ ounce in weight,
24 cents.
Above ½ an ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce in weight,
48 cents.
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce and a half in weight,
72 cents.
Above 1½ ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces in weight,
96 cents.

And so on adding 24 cents for each additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce. Newspapers 2 cents each. The Postage in each case must be paid in advance.

The rates of postage on correspondence between Hongkong and Singapore and Penang will remain unaltered.

F. W. MITCHEL,
Postmaster General.
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

A French mail-packet service having been established between Shanghae and Yokohama (Japan) in connexion with the existing service between Shanghae and Hongkong, it is hereby notified that in future correspondence for Yokohama will be forwarded from this Office by each of the French Packets leaving this place for Shanghae.

Letters, &c., to be forwarded by these vessels must be marked per "Messageries Imperiales Packet ———" and they may be forwarded either paid or unpaid at the option of the Sender, at the following rates of Postage, viz: For a letter *Not exceeding ¼ an ounce in weight,* 14 cents. *Exceeding ¼ an ounce and under 1 ounce,* 28 cents. *Exceeding 1 ounce and under 2 ounces,* 56 cents. *Exceeding 2 ounces and under 3 ounces,* 84 cents, and so on adding 28 cents for each additional ounce or fraction of an ounce after the first ounce: Newspapers and Prices Current 2 cents each.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 27th September, 1865.

With reference to the Notification which was published in the *Government Gazette* No. 20 of the 20th May last, authorising the transmission of Books and Trade Patterns through the Post between Shanghae and the United Kingdom, it is hereby notified that the privilege has been extended to Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochowfoo, and Ningpo on the terms and conditions set forth in the said notification.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

It is hereby notified for general information that arrangements have been concluded between the British Post Office and the Post Office of Prussia under which Patterns and Samples of Merchandise may be forwarded by the Post through the United Kingdom between Hongkong and Prussia at the same reduced charges and under the same general regulations which govern the transmission of Books:—the Postage at the following rates must in all cases be paid in advance.

FOR A PACKET OF PATTERNS.
Not exceeding 2 ounces in weight, 8 cents.
Exceeding 2 ounces and not exceeding 4 ounces, 16 cents.
Exceeding 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces. 32 cents.
Exceeding 8 ounces and not exceeding 1 lb, 64 cents.
And for every additional 8 ounces 32 cents.

The following are the States of Germany to to which the new arrangements referred to apply, viz; Prussia, Austria, Bavaria, Saxony, Hanover, Wurtemburg, Baden, Luxemburg, Brunswick, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Oldenburg, Hamburg, Bremen, Lubeck, and the Countries which are included in the Postal District of the Principality of Tour and Taxis, viz— Frankfort on the Maine, Grand Duchy of Hesse, Hesse (Electoral,) Hesse-Homburg, Schaumburg-Lippe, Lippe-Detmold, Nassau, Reuss, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Saxe-Meiningen, Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, Hohenzollern, Schwartzburg-Rudoldstadt, and Schwartsburg-Sonderhausen.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

Intimations.

WILLIAM HARDING,
SAIL-MAKER,
On board the Chop "*Hornet*,"
OFF BARRACK WHARF.
249 Hongkong, 16th November, 1864.

HONGKONG BAKERY.

DORABJEE NOWROJEE begs to inform the Public, that he has established a *Bakery* Fancy Pastry, and Confectionery business on his premises, Queen's Road, adjoining the offices of the P. & O. S. N. Company, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public

Hongkong 4th August, 1860.

Extracts.

Settling day in Bombay.

The day of judgment for three years expected in Bombay has arrived at last, and the Western Presidency presents a scene such as has never been witnessed in Asia, and hardly in Europe since Law's plan for making the currency equal to the wants of the community, overdriven by an ignorant Regent and a greedy aristocracy, impoverished instead of enriching France. The result has been a revelation of national as well as individual character. If there was one charge brought against European merchants in India more frequently than another it was that of recklessness, of a disposition to overtrading, a craving to become rich in an hour by some daring speculation, rather than wait the slow but certain accumulation of legitimate profit. The Parsees, on the other hand, were said to be "men of sense," bold but prudent traders, merchants who when anxious to engage in vast affairs increased the area of their entire commerce rather than their risk in any one of its many branches. Their millionaires did not, it was said, make "strokes" in sugar, or cotton, or indigo, or money-lending, but quietly planted affiliated houses in every commercial centre, and drew to themselves the profits of half a dozen commercial firms while only incurring the risks of one. As to the Hindoo firms, they were caution embodied, made fortunes out of sixpences, shrunk from speculations which to their European rivals seemed certain, and would scarcely deal in shares unless upon secret information as to the amount of the next dividend. At last this community so singularly constituted, these "reckless" European and "shrewd" Parsees, and "timid" Hindoos, were called upon to face the greatest trial of mercantile character—a sudden and tremendous rush of prosperity produced by temporary and political causes, and we see how they have borne it. The reckless Europeans, with all their daring, never ventured to defy that original principle of trade, *ex nihilo nihil fit*, and have as a body emerged from the storm comparatively unscathed. A house or two here and there has gone down, a bank or two has overtraded, a firm or two has been compelled to fall back upon the empty exchequer with which it originally began, but the body have survived, and of all who trade in Bombay the Scotch alone have as a class been gainers by the "marvellous prosperity" of the island. They have carried five millions sterling out of the grand scramble. The "shrewd" Parsees have been utterly carried away by their imaginations, have dealt in shares at which no sane man would look, poured millions into the laps of companies based on air, trusted men in transactions of the first magnitude to whom before the prosperity came they would not have lent a shilling. They seem literally to have believed that the rise was produced by some law of nature, and we have before us the accounts of a financial company in which the native directors have gravely inserted the profits on time bargains not yet near maturity as assets. The timid Hindoos have ventured their all and their neighbours' all besides in single stakes, one man, for example, confessing that the turn of the market changed him from a millionaire into a defaulter to the extent of seven hundred thousand pounds. One Hindoo Bank which has failed was three hundred years old, and was trusted by native depositors in the interior more than the Bank of Bombay, which with unlimited liability has Government for a shareholder. The natives indeed of all classes, usually so coldly careful, seem to have believed that the laws of nature were suspended, that there was no limit to the possible increase of values. In scores of instances they have made written contracts to deliver or accept cotton or shares six months in advance, and it is asserted on all hands that the full extent of the catastrophe will not be known till Michaelmas, immense bargains remaining till then undecided. They are not, moreover, penniless men who have been thus struck down. Furdoonjee, who has "gone," though he will pay a good dividend, was before the crash owner of more than a million and a quarter. Pestonjee Cursetjee would, had engagements due to him been met, have been worth 450,000*l*., while as it is his creditors will barely obtain a dividend of five shillings in the pound. Morwanjee Nusserwanjee Bhowrugree had actually made a great profit upon his shipments and other business, but lost 250,000*l* in one settlement for time bargains. The Camas were merchant princes, must at one time have been able to retire with more than two millions sterling. It is declared on good authority that of the entire native community, but six months ago so rich that it seemed as if society had been overturned, and that great officials would have to crave meals at the hands of merchants, only six firms have escaped absolutely solvent. These six, among whom may be reckoned the Jejeebhoy connection either owned land which they sold at enormous rates, or realized in time, or in one instance avoided so far as possible profits and ruin alike.

The truth seems to be that the shrewd Parsee and timid Hindoo are more accessible to one particular temptation than almost any European, and that is gambling on a gigantic scale. Hindoos have been known to bind themselves to virtual slavery for an hour's enjoyment of a game, the most respectable merchants will bet frantically on a parrot fight, and there is hardly a man in the bazaars either of Calcutta or Bombay who has not at one time or another done a time bargain in opium, a contract which is far nearer simple gaming than a similar one on the Stock Exchange, because the judgment has so much less scope to play. A man may calculate on a vote of the Greek Legislature or the policy of a new Finance Minister at Madrid, but nothing can enable him to guess the price to which chests of opium will at a particular sale be artificially run up. No one who had ever seen the scene in the opium auction-room of Calcutta, the great hall filled with wealthy men, jumping, screaming, foaming with excitement and ridicule or rage, ever doubted that the Hindoo could on occasion lose his senses in the delirium of gambling, and to all natives the last three years of Bombay life seem to have been massed in one vast game. They could see the fluctuations of the market, but not their causes, perceive the rise in shares, but not its limits. Their fortunes were at the mercy during three years of three separate series of events—the variations in their own crop, the turns of the American war, and the fluctuations of a misinformed public opinion in Liverpool. Of these three they understood only one, and that the least important, and regarded the action of the other two rather as that of a capricious providence than of any law known to commerce. "Things" rose, and therefore would always rise, and "shrewd" and "timid" traders brought out thirty-five grand speculations in thirty days, ran shares up to fourteen and fifteen hundred per cent. premium, pledged their whole fortunes, including great landed estates, to obtain fresh stakes,—one man is pointed out as singular because he had not mortgaged his patrimonial lands,—and when the ruin came in to many instances tried to repudiate obligations. The local papers are choked with reports of meetings at which every question asked suggests a swindle, and men's hands can hardly be kept from each others' throats, and it is gravely reported, as a mere indicant of the time, that on settling day no claim was allowed not capable of being legally enforced. That is to say, the dealers repudiated all time bargains not drawn up in writing and in the from of specific contracts. The general settlement, moreover, was not expected to average more than seven annas in the rupee, say nine shillings in the pound, while those who claim and those who pay alike demand consideration on the ground of their utter insolvency. The Bank of Bombay is of course safe, though a heavy loser. Government having at once interfered on its behalf, but other associations are being wound up in heaps, with accounts which, did they not imply such ruin, would be food for endless laughter. One company, for example, is wound up with accounts showing a profit of 350,000*l*. because judgment has been obtained against it for 50,000*l*., and it "has no funds," profit, capital, and all being apparently represented by time bargains. The total amount thus lost to its former owners is estimated at sixteen million sterling, the whole of which has been transferred to a few exceedingly powerful houses which realized in time. Of course all the Companies, "financials," and other money-dealing associations formed to speculate in these shares must disappear, and the only craft which seems to came out of the tempest with any portion of its cargo safe is the Back Bay Reclamation scheme. The cool heads at the top of this concern had at the very height of the share fever sold 100 of their shares by auction for 1,060,000*l*., and placed this amount safely away—a reserve fund. This will in the end secure the original shareholders an excellent dividend, and the directors, undismayed by all the ruin around, are calmly going on with their scheme of rescuing land from the shallow water. Other land companies may, and probably will, survive, but for the rest Bombay is insolvent, and we have before us a long petition, signed, it is said by great names, praying Government to pass a law to relieve the overburdened Insolvent Court and allow mercantile assignees to exercise its powers subject only to a general control.

Anglo-Indians, who are nearly as sanguine as Americans, and almost as careless of a poverty which in India loses half its painful features—nobody, for instance, dreaming of cutting you because you have lost your money—argue that Bombay will now recover rapidly, that the cash profit of three years has been from twenty to thirty millions, and that "somebody must have got that money." That is true, but we fear their hopes are nevertheless over sanguine. The money they speak of was not the whole capital of the island, but an addition to it, and the old capital as well as the new has been swallowed up by the few successful or surviving firms. They are not likely to risk it the new wealth will accumulate very slowly, and for years to come Bombay will be in the position of Calcutta, a city with a vast trade and great profit but so little realized capital that the most insignificant crisis shakes credit to its foundations. Expenses, too, will not fall back at once to their old level, servants, tradesmen, and even cultivators fighting bitterly against a return to the old rates, while the dealers, forced again to accumulate sixpences where they had been making lakhs, feel as habitual gamblers do when low stakes are proposed—they cannot forego the game, but it is very insipid work. The city must of course recover, for it is the warehouse of half a continent, the bank for thirty millions of industrious people, the exchange for three great trades, and it cannot long continue a city of insolvents. But it can continue a city of feeble speculators and over cautious traders of merchants afraid to make a three months' contract and bankers who will scarcely look at a security not negotiable within the next half hour. When a French merchant or banker is asked to join in any undertaking, his first question is the time at which he may expect returns, and if it is more than three months he shakes his head, and asks the proposer if "he has forgotten '48." That will we are convinced, be for years the position of affairs in Bombay, and it involves an amount of loss as well as of individual misery which we should be glad to see somewhat more gravely appreciated on the spot. By Christmas it will perhaps be realized, but at present Bombay seems to feel a sense of relief from the fact that all are alike ruined, and is still squandering money under the conviction that in a ruin so mighty a few rupees or lakhs of rupees can make no difference whatever.—*The Spectator.*

Gleanings from European Papers of the Latest Dates.

Major F. H. de Vere was shot yesterday while on duty at Chatham, and it is feared the wound he has received will prove mortal. The assassin is a sapper named Curry, who had not been long in the service. It is stated that he had a revengeful feeling against the major, in consequence of that officer having caused him to be punished for neglect of duty. Curry was arrested, and a court of inquiry held. He is reported to have said when questioned "I hope he is dead; I intended to kill him, and have been waiting my opportunity for some time."—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

A murderous conflict took place at Dargan, in Ireland between the police and the country people at the fair on Monday last. The police were taking some drunken men into custody, when a rescue was attempted by the crowd, and several stones were thrown. The police were compelled to retreat into barracks. A man then made a speech, calling on all the Fenians in the crowd to show that they could fight for the freedom of Ireland. The infuriated populace then attacked the barracks, smashing doors and windows, whereupon the police fired, wounding one man mortally and three severely.—*Herald.*

The extraordinary feat of breaking the bank was again achieved on the 12th at Baden Baden, and this time by three players, one of whom was the Maltese millionnaire who performed it alone exactly a month before, as stated by one of our correspondents. Another was a Russian Prince, who played very high. The three champions chose the black. There are at present at Baden-Baden several individuals who are noted for their extraordinary luck, and, if matters continue so, it is believed the gaming-table of that watering-place will be a loser to a considerable extent this year.—*Galignani.*

A Paris letter in the *Nord* contains the following:—

"In presence of the almost certain failure of transatlantic cable, and the frequent accidents which occur to the India telegraph in the Persian Gulf (the cable is at the present moment under repair), the importance is increasing of the line which is rapidly advancing from San Francisco towards the north, and will unite New York with St. Petersburg, and with the European networks. The Americans and Russians have divided this immense work; the former have engaged to construct within three years a telegraphic line from San Francisco to Nicholaevsk on the Amoor, while the Russians will connect this latter town with St. Petersburg, a work of which about two-thirds is already accomplished. In America alone, about 175 million francs of the capital has been subscribed for. The line, starting from San Francisco, will run along the coast to New Archangel, the chief town of the American company on the island of Sitka. The half of this line is already executed. According to the latest news the American company had already crossed the Columbia river and reached Vancouver Island. From Sitka the line will follow the coast in a northerly direction, crossing, or rather bordering the desert which touches Bristol Bay, as far as the river Kvikhpach, which it will follow to Behring Sea. The passage of Behring Strait is decidedly abandoned in consequence of the current and the small depth of water. There were fears that the cable would be broken every year by the icebergs, which reach to the bottom. A passage along the Aleutian Islands has been found to be impracticable in consequence of the rocky nature of the bottom of the straits which separate the different islands of that archipelago. The telegraphic line will pass between those two directions; it will enter the water in the Behring Sea at the mouth of the Kvikhpach, will touch St. Matthew Island, and will issue on the Asiatic side at Cape Oulontorsk, in 60 deg. latitude. The cable will then cross Kamschatka at the northern extremity of that peninsula, will run along the coast of the Sea of Okhotsk, touching at the town of that name at Ayant and Oudsk, and will then proceed to Nicholaevsk on the Amoor. Here commences the Russian line; this will follow the Amoor to Irkutsk, the capital of Eastern Siberia, and then following the great Siberian road will join the telegraphic lines of European Russia, and be thus placed in communication with St. Petersburg. *This immense line, notwithstanding* all the difficulties it will have to overcome, has an immense advantage over the transatlantic cable—it is realisable."

An extraordinary and unprecedented case of violation has just been tried at the Assize Court of the Var. A young man of 24, named Castellan, presented himself at the house of a respectable farmer named Hughes, and pretending to be deaf and dumb obtained supper and a night's lodging. In the morning he persuaded the farmer's daughter, a modest girl of 26, to run away with him, and an indictment alleged that he obtained an irresistible influence over her entirely by means of magnetism. The moment she came to her senses she was filled with remorse, but whenever he magnetised her she became a mere instrument in his hands, and submitted to everything he told her. Three doctors of Toulon gave their opinions in accordance with that of Dr. Tardieu, of Paris, and many other medical men of the highest reputation, that it is possible by means of what is called magnetism to obtain such influence over a young girl as completely to annihilate her will. Castellan boasted of his magnetic power, while standing at the bar, and offered to magnetise the presiding judge. He actually tried to magnetise the Procureur-Impérial, and frightened him so much that that functionary angrily ordered the prisoner to lower his eyes. Being found guilty, Castellan was sentenced to 12 years' imprisonment, with hard labour.—*Galignani.*

The *Courrier de l'Ain* mentions a singular incident during the late municipal elections. In the commune of Bergeres nine females were elected with the mayor at their head. That functionary understood the allusion, and at once sent in his resignation.

The Archbishop of Paris has sent the following note to the journals:—

"An enterprise calling itself 'The Bank of the Clergy,' and which professes to have for gérant M. Dousset, Banker of the Clergy, 99 Rue Obercampf, Paris, and for directors the Abbés François, Hysmans, Dambreville Mithouard, and perhaps some others, sends into the departments and foreign countries a prospectus in which it proposes a veritable traffic in things appertaining to religion. The Diocesan authorities of Paris inform of this abuse, declare that those ecclesiastics, if they exist at all, are quite unknown and hold no office in the city of Paris. The said Diocesan authorities blame and condemn the attempt of their power the operations of this pretended Bank of the Clergy, and signalise the undertaking to all who may have the means, however derived, of combating and bringing it to a close. They think it their duty to invite the public to be on its guard against these or any other similar establishments."

We are informed that Constance Kent while in prison wrote her own history, and addressed it to one of the magistrates of Wilts. The MS. is said to have contained the particulars of her previous life, her relations with her stepmother, etc., and also an explanation of the mode in which she committed the murder, namely, with an old razor out of one of her father's cases, which she ground to a point, and made stiff by hammering the rivet, having, before taking the child out of bed, gone and opened the doors and windows.—*Bath Chronicle.*

The greatest discontent prevails among merchants and others at the frequent failures and delays in sending and receiving telegraphic messages by the Persian Gulf line. Other causes of discontent arise from the numerous errors made in the words of the messages, rending this means of communication between India and England, which ought to be so beneficial as regards speed and regularity, not only vexatiously uncertain, but to a great extent positively mischievous. A memorial on this subject will shortly, we understand, be presented to the Government.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Murder at a Funeral.—A crime of a terrible nature was committed on Tuesday, in Tipperary, and while the people thronging the streets were engaged in their ordinary daily business. A man named Dowdle came to attend the funeral of a friend, and as he was walking behind the hearse, in company with his wife, he was struck from behind three blows with a "loaded" stick. The man who struck these blow cried out, "Here's a three-year-old!" and then ran into a shop belonging to a relative. The wife attempted to save her husband, and warded off one blow. The wounded man died in a few hours. A neighbour of his own, W. Condon, has been arrested. The wife of the deceased, who swore directly before the magistrate against Condon, was in a state which prevented her examination. She appeared most reluctant to give evidence. From the expression stated to have been used, the outrage appears to have resulted from the revival of the factions, "the three-year-olds" and "four-year-olds," the breaking up of which by the Roman Catholic Archbishop attracted so much attention three or four years ago.—*Sun.*

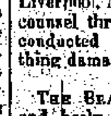
The Queen of the Sandwich Island visited the Royal Military Asylum this day, accompanied by Lady Franklin. On the entry of the party the band played "God save the Queen," at the conclusion of which the Queen inspected the boys and visited various parts of the building, leaving amidst three hearty cheers.—*Sun.*

The Diplomatic Service.—Mr. Thornton, now minister at Buenos Ayres, is to be minister at Rio de Janeiro. The Hon. Richard Edwardes, now charge d'affaires and consul general at Caracas, is to be minister at Buenos Ayres. Mr. Fagan, now charge d'affaires and consul general at Quito, is to be charge d'affaires and Consul general at Caracas. The Hon. F. J. Pakenham, now secretary of legation at Buenos Ayres is to be secretary of legation at Rio de Janeiro. Mr. E. Clare Ford, now secretary to the legation in Japan, is appointed secretary of legation at Buenos Ayres. Mr. Phipps, a third secretary at Washington, is transferred to Munich and Mr. Smyth, a third secretary at Washington, is transferred to St. Petersburg. Mr. H. Guion Macdonnell, a second secretary at Constantinople; Mr. Lenox Conyngham, jun., a third secretary at Madrid; and the Hon. Power le Poer Trench, a third secretary at Munich, are transferred to Rio de Janeiro. Mr. R. G. Watson, a second secretary at Teheran, is transferred to Constantinople. Mr. Henry Howard, son of Sir Henry Howard, our minister at Hanover, has passed his examination for an attacheship in the diplomatic service.—*Observer.*

One of the handsomest and largest Royal yachts ever built was launched from the building-yard of Messrs. Samuda at Poplar, this week. The yacht, the *Mahroussa*, is for the Viceroy of Egypt and its chief object, in addition to providing for the sea-going comforts of the Viceroy, is the curtailment of the duration of the voyage from Alexandria to Marseilles to the extent of two clear days—in other words, the voyage which hitherto, under the most favourable conditions, has occupied five days, is hereafter to occupy only three. The estimated speed of the *Mahroussa* on the smooth water trial is 18½ knots an hour, or 22 statute miles.—*Court Journal.*

At the Salford Hundred assizes, yesterday, the Rev. James Kelly, incumbent of St. George's, Liverpool, brought an action for libel against the proprietor of the *Liverpool Mail*. The case was one of a series which has created some interest in Liverpool, the plaintiff having entered a number of actions against some of the Liverpool newspapers for comments on two of his sermons, wherein he alluded to the appointment of a Roman Catholic chaplain to the Liverpool Borough Gaol, and to the election of Mr. Mozley as Mayor of Liverpool, Mr. Mozley being a Jew. Mr. Kelly's counsel threw up their briefs, and the plaintiff conducted his own case. He was awarded a farthing damages.—*Manchester Guardian.*

The Brazilian Navy.—In the recent severe and hotly contested engagement between the Brazilian ships and the Paraguayans, in which the latter were defeated with very heavy loss, both squadrons were armed with some of the most approved weapons of modern artillery, the Brazilians being furnished with a complete Whitworth armament, and the Paraguayans with the Blakely gun. It does not appear, however, that any of the ships on either side, were ironclads, and therefore the power of these guns for modern naval warfare was not tested except relatively, the one to the other, over wooden ships.—*Press.*



Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE in the Stanly Street No. 120, next to us suitable for a Merchant.
Apply to D. VASSONJEE & Co.
1m 2301 Hongkong, 6th September, 1865.

PREMISES in Queen's Road Central, for Offices or Dwelling House.
For Particulars apply to LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1460 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

THE upper portion of the House in Queen's Road Central, at present in the occupation of Dr. Kane, containing Four Rooms with front and back Verandahs, also Servants Offices and Godowns. Possession may be had on the 1st proximo.
Apply on the premises to, R. C. R. OWEN.
tf 2456 Hongkong, 30th September, 1865.

TO BE LET.
TWO Commodious HOUSES, in Gage Street suitable for Merchant or Family residence and affording a nice view of the harbour. Rent moderate.
For further particulars apply to E. SAPOORJEE & Co.
1m 2478 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

TO LET.
THE House on the Praya immediately in rear of the Premises of the undersigned, containing Offices and Compradore's Rooms, at present occupied by Messrs. R. McGregor & Co. Possession may be had on 1st November next.
Apply to BIRLEY & Co.
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STABLING.
TO Let situated on the Caine Road West, a THREE STALLED STABLE and a Double COACH HOUSE with Fodder Room and accommodation for House Boys.
For further particulars, apply to R. S. W., at the Office of R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2248 Hongkong, 30th August, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.
AT FOOCHOW.
A Newly-built Dwelling House, situated near Messrs. Gilman & Co., and lately occupied by the U. S. Vice Consul.
The above is a Two Story House of 7 apartments, and is well provided with Bathrooms, Outhouses, &c.
For particulars apply to HEDGE & Co.
tf 2127 Foochow, 17th September, 1865.

OFFICE and GODOWNS in the Queen's Road Central.
BIRLEY & Co.
111 Hongkong, 18th October, 1864.

To Let.

TO LET.
A Commodious HOUSE, situated in the Caine Road East, suitable for Family residence, containing 8 Rooms, Bathrooms, &c., and with adjoining Horse Stable.
For particulars apply to ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2451 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

FOR SALE OR TO BE LET.
THE Premises on Queen's Road East, lately occupied by Messrs. Fletcher & Co., and consisting of a Commodious Dwelling House, Offices, Godowns, Stables, Coach House, &c.
The premises extend from the Queen's Road to the Sea, and have adjoining a private Jetty for the convenience of landing and shipping goods.
For further particulars apply to W. KAYE. or H. W. WOOD. Trustees on Fletcher & Co's Estate.
tf 2429 Hongkong, 26th September, 1865.

TO BE LET.
with immediate possession.
THE Premises situate in the Queen's Road wherein the business of the late H. Dudell & Co., Storekeepers was lately carried on.
The premises are situate in the most Central part of the City, and are admirably adapted for carrying on a Storekeepers and Auctioneers business.
For further particulars apply to F. L. HAZELAND, *Solicitor*,
tf 2402 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1865.

WITH immediate possession, Two large GODOWNS, situated on the Praya, close to Messrs. John Burd & Co. between the premises of Messrs. Ed. Schellass & Co. and Messrs. W. R. Cunningham & Co.
These Godowns are in the best situation for business, and can easily be converted into very convenient Stores or Shops.
Apply to OXFORD & Co.
tf 2270 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1865.

WHARFAGE AND GODOWNS.
TO LET, GRANITE GODOWNS, abreast of the WAN-HI WHARF, with or without use of the Wharf now completed, where vessels can be ladened and discharged.
Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS.
tf 976 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

SPACIOUS OFFICES and GODOWNS, situated in the Queen's Road Central.
Apply to ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2097 Hongkong, 9th August, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.
THE HOUSE and GODOWNS, at present occupied by Messrs. Lindsay & Co.
Apply to the Manager of the Bank of Hindustan.
tf 1518 Hongkong, 27th May, 1865.

TWO delightfully houses of Three Stories, situated in Spring Garden, suitable for families residence, and can view the whole harbour.
Apply to D. NOWROJEE. next to P. & O. Co's. Office
tf 1875 Hongkong 11th July 1865.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs Elmenhorst and Sander.
For particulars apply to GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 883 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

A Spacious two Storied Godown, recently erected in a central position in the Queen's Road, and well suited for an Auctioneer's business.
Apply to GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 961 Hongkong, 22nd March 1865.

SIX GODOWNS, in Queen's Road, East, having sea frontage.
Apply to TANG ALOK, Canton Bazaar.
tf 1662 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

TWO Front Rooms, first Floor, with private Entrance in a house situated at the Central part of the Praya, very Suitable for Offices.
Apply Letters D. M. Office of this paper.
tf 2056 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

AT FOOCHOW.
THE Dwelling HOUSE, recently occupied by Messrs. Fletcher & Co.
Possession given at once.
For particulars apply to HEDGE & Co.
tf 2184 Foochow, 10th August, 1865. 22-8

2 Front Rooms, for Offices.
Apply to MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
tf 1755 Hongkong, 27th June, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.
MARINE LOT No. 185, situated on the Praya, at West Point, water frontage 120 feet,—total measurement 30,720 feet.
For Particulars, apply to this Office.
566 Hongkong, 9th January, 1865.

WITH immediate possession, BELMONT, a Detached residence with the adjacent Grounds at Pokfoolum, now occupied by Messrs. Simpson & Co.
Apply to GILMAN & Co. No. 6 Praya.
tf 2253 Hongkong, 31st August, 1865.

TWO FLOORS of the Detached House in the Queen's Road of which the Offices of the undersigned form a portion situated at the Corners of Ice House Street and Duddell Street.
The Floors comprise Nine Rooms and four Bath Rooms, with Kitchens &c., complete, and are suitable for either Two Sets of Offices or for a Dwelling and Offices.
The Two Floors will be let together or separately.
Apply to R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2212 Hongkong, 25th August. 1865.

THE No. 2 and No. 4 Two Storied Godowns in Spring Gardens, Praya, Marine Lot No 21 and 25, with Offices, Compradore and Servants Rooms, and Cookroom, having a Capacity of 2500 Tons each.
apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 1991 Hongkong, 25th July, 1865.

With immediate possession.
The Property known as "Almack Place," having a frontage of Eighty three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets and of two hundred and twenty nine feet on Aberdeen Street, comprising a superficial area of about 19000 square feet.
Annual Ground Rent £42.12.6.
For further particulars apply to GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1865.

A Commodious Store, can be had on the 1st August 1865, situated in Queen's Road, opposite the Oriental Bank lately occupied by Messrs. Talbot & Co.
Apply to D. NOWROJEE. next to P. & O. Co's. Office
tf 1876 Hongkong 11th July 1865.

A HOUSE, in Robinson Road. Immediately South West of the Albany, containing six Rooms, Bath Rooms, &c. &c. Water laid on.
For particulars, apply to LYALL, STILL & Co.
tf 1823 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

From 1st September, 1865.
THE lower part of the Premises occupied by Messrs. H. Marsh & Co. Also two large Rooms, Upstairs in the same Building.
For particulars, apply to C. DAVID.
tf 1975 Hongkong, 24th July 1865.

Storage.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on Storage in first class Granite Godowns on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1863.

STORAGE may be had in that fine GRANITE GODOWNS, under Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s Office. Praya West.
For particulars apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 1921 Hongkong, 16th July, 1865.

STORAGE, can be had in Granite Godowns next to the French Consul at Duddell Street on moderate terms.
Apply to RAY & Co.
tf 1778 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

Storage.

FOR 150,000 piculs in Granite Godowns, at Wanchai, having Sea frontage.
Or to let for a Term
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Apply to VAUCHER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 20th April, 1863.

Notices of Removal.

THE Office of the undersigned has been removed to Messrs. Johnson & Co.'s Godowns on the Praya No. 44, between Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s and Messrs. John, Burd & Co's premises.
BAHLMANN & Co.
tf 1807 Hongkong, 4th July, 1865

NOTICE.
THE OFFICES of the Borneo Company Limited are removed to the Premises next to those occupied by Messrs. Turner & Co.
1m 2459 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE Business of the Medical Hall and Soda Water Manufactory connected therewith is removed to the opposite side of the Road, in the premises lately occupied by Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., between Messrs. Turner & Co., and Messrs. Birley & Co.
6m 1775 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
DR. SCHETELIG has removed to Stanley Street, two doors from Pottinger Street, in rear of the Commercial Bank.
tf 1615 Hongkong, 6th June, 1865.

Hotels.

ROYAL HOTEL.
MACAO.
THIS first class Family Hotel, situated on the Praya Grande, and containing most airy and spacious apartments, is confidently recommended for its accomodation, to invalids and persons desiring a cool and healthy retreat in Summer.
tf Macao, 22nd April, 1864.

ORIENTAL HOTEL.
HONAM, CANTON.
D. B. VINES.
Proprietor.
tf 2149 Canton 20th September, 1865.

VICTORIA HOTEL.
302, Queen's Road West.
R. CLARK begs to inform his friends and the Public that he has just received ex *Farafilda* and has for sale.
Hennessy's Brandy in 1 Doz. cases.
Old Tom, in 1 doz. cases and in quarter casks.
Swain and Board's Orange Bitter in qtr. Casks.
Adam Roles celebrated Cordials, such as Shrub Adil. Cloves and Mint. and Ginger Brandy, in 1 doz. Cases.
Also.
York Hams, and superior Cheshire Cheese. suitable for Messes.
1m 2420 Hongkong 25th September, 1865.

Educational.

St. SAVIOURS SCHOOLS,
Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street

IT is most respectfully intimated to Parents and Guardians that, the New Schools lately erected in Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street, in a style suitable to the wants of the climate and managed with a view of meeting the peculiar want of this Commercial Colony, are now in full operation.

The system of tuition adopted in these Schools is purely Commercial, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Geometry, Geography, History, Grammar, Composition, Foreign Languages, Music, and Drawing, are taught by proficient resident Masters. No objection is made to the admission of any Pupil on the score of religion nor will the religious feelings of any pupil be tampered with.

A suite of large Airy Rooms, has been opened in the same Schools for the reception of Boarder Pupils. To Boys leaving home for the first time, the change will be made as easy as can be by the kindness which shall be shown them and by the exclusion of everything materially coercive.

Further particulars may be known by applying to the Principal J. Borgazzi, who earnestly desires that communications be made before any boarder pupil is sent to the Scools.
St. Saviours Schools,
Hongkong, 30th November, 1864.

MRS. TALBOT begs to announce that, at the suggestion and solicitation of Friends and parents of Children in Hongkong, she has been induced to open a School for Young Ladies, and trusts that by devoting her whole attention and constant kind care to the welfare and improvement of the pupils who may be entrusted to her charge to afford every satisfaction and ensure patronage.

The course of instruction comprises all the essentials of a sound English Education, with Music, Drawing and French if desired. Terms and any other particulars may be ascertained at Mrs. Talbot's abode, viz: at the house of her parents No. 2, Lansdowne Terrace, Aberdeen Street.
Hongkong, 3rd March, 1865.

For Sale

JUST RECEIVED, and for Sale by the Undersigned,
Sharp's Carbines, Cartridges and Primers,
Ponds Revolvers.
Smith and Wesson's Revolvers, (Blue barrelled and silver plated.)
DESILVER & Co.
941 Hongkong, 20th March 1865.

150 To arrive from New York.
barrels extra Mess BEEF.
150 barrels extra PORK.
Apply to RUSSELL & Co. *Hongkong.*
or to Messrs. NYE & Co. *Canton.*
tf 2474 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

A Pair Wheel PONY CARRIAGE, nearly new, with Cushions and Hood complete.
Address C. J. H. office of this Paper,
tf 2161 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1865.

A Fast pulling 4 Oared BOAT, teak built and Copper fastened, with OARS, HOUSE and AWNING, complete; will be sold cheap, the owner having no further use for her.
To be seen at Messrs. T. HUNT & Co.
1w 2460 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1865.

HOCK STEINBERG 1857 in Cases of 1 dozen.
HOCK JOHANNESBERG 1857, Cases of 1 dozen.
SPARKLING MOSELLE NONPARIEL, in Cases of 1 dozen.
HOCK EHRENBREITEIN, PALE. in Cases of 1 dozen.
Apply to REYNOLDS & Co
tf 1658 Hongkong, 10th June, 1865.

50 Cases Castor Oil.
500 Barrels Flour.
120 Cases Messrs. R. Heatley's & Son Port Sherry and Brandy.
Apply to. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1898 Hongkong 15th July 1865.

EX "VARATILDA."
A Small Invoice of handsomely-bound BOOKS consisting of
Hood's Memorials.
Rogers Table Talk.
White Wife.
Frank Fowler.
Maurice Deering.
Our Social Bees.
Her Majesty's Mails.
Recommended to Mercy.
Malatesta.
Rachel Ray.
Marietta.
Dr. Dodd.
Reuben Medlicott.
Christian's Mistake.
John Marchmont's Legacy.
Les Miserables.
Lumley's Opera.
Slang Dictionary.
Also,
several new and cheap Works
BOWRA & Co.
tf 1895 Hongkong 14th July 1865.

A FRENCH BILLIARD. Larreque & Co (Makers) Paris. Superior Ceylon, Coffre
Apply to ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 1307 Hongkong 16th May, 1865

For Sale.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE.
LATEST NOVELTIES.
Just received ex Mail Steamer *Rimac.*
A Choice Assortment of Ladies Tulle and Silk Bonnets, in the newest styles, also a well Assorted Stock of White, Black and Colored Trimmed Hats, of the latest Fashions.
White Muslin Garibaldies and Zouaves, Ladies Fashionable Belt Ribbons, in all Colours, Black Lace Shawls, and Mantles.
Ladies French Kid Gloves, 50 cents per pair
tf 1908 Hongkong, 26th July, 1865.

300 bls. Navy Bread.
200 half-barrel Crushed Sugar.
20 Barrels Sill's Butter.
25 Fairbank's Platform Scales.
20 Cases Copper Composition Nails.
500 Barrels Fresh Flour.
Apply to SMITH ARCHER & Co.
tf 1671 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

THE Engine, Boilers, Paddle-wheels, etc., saved from the wreck of the Steamer "*Hankow*," at Canton.
The Working-Beam, Wheel-shafts, Wheels, Boilers, and many other parts of the Machinery are in good order, and fit to be applied to a new vessel. The Cylinder, Sidepipes, and a few pieces of the Engine are broken, and unfit for use; duplicates, however, could be obtained without much delay from the "Morgan Iron Works," New York, the constructors of the Machinery.
The terms of sale, and all information respecting the above property may be obtained from the undersigned.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2114 Hongkong, 12th August, 1865.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE.
THOS. PEACOCK, begs most respectfully to call the attention of the Ladies of this Colony to this well assorted and choice Stock of Fancy Dresses in the following makes.
FANCY DRESSES.
French Berege Anglais, 20 to 35 cents per yd.
Fancy Check Grenadines, $1 to 6.50 per Dress.
Rich Silk Mixed Broche, $6 to $18.
Glace Alpaca's in all Shades, for Riding Habits.
Plain and Fancy Mohairs in large variety.
MUSLINS.
300 Pieces French Printed Jaconets, 25 cents per yard.
170 ,, Best Organdies, 35 cents per yard original price 50 cents.
A Large Stock of White Check Cambrics, $3 to $6.50.
Swisse Books, in plain spotted and Figured.
DRESS MAKING.
Under the management of a first class Dress Maker arrived by last Mail, having had considerable experience in large West End Houses, all orders entrusted to her will be carefully and promptly attended to.
tf 1860 Hongkong 10th July, 1865.

S. & D. HENRY'S Canvas, Europe and Manila Cordage, patent Blocks, and Sheaves, Ironmongery and House Fittings, Mechanic's Tools, Iron and Brass Screws. Oilman's Stores, (superior quality) English and French Preserved Meat and Vegetables, Toilet, Dinner and Breakfast Services, Nightglasses and Telescopes by Ross, Champagne, Wines, and Martell's, and Vineyard Proprietors Brandie's, Java Rum in Leagers.
Prime York Hams, and Wiltshire Chees (small sizes for families) every Overland Mail.
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.
N.B.—Sails made and repaired, and Goods received on Storage onboard the Store Ship "*Sarah*," (late "*Tropic.*")

HOUSEHOLD LINENS, &c.
LONG Lace Window Curtains $3 to $12 per pair.
Long Muslin Window Curtains $4 to $15
Repps, Worsted Damasks and Chintzes.
Gimps, Cords and Laces.
Buckabuck and Diaper Towels, $2.50 to $6 per doz.
Linen and Long Cloth Sheetings all widths.
Fine Linen Damask Dinner Napkins.
Linen Damask Table Cloths from 8/4 to 10 24.
Horrockses India Long Cloths.
Richly Embroidered Drawing Room Table Cloths.
White and Green Mosquito Nets.
Cambrice Jaconet and Swisse Book Muslins.
Fine White Flannels 31 cents to $1 per yard.
Silk and Wool Merced and Saxony Gauze for summer wear.
Plain and Fancy Colored in great variety.
White and Colored Blankets.
White Summer Quilts and Bed Covers.
Antimacassers and Toilet Covers.
Velvet pile Hearth Rugs, $2.50 to $8 each.
Tapestry Carpets Various.
THOS. PEACOCK.
Victoria Exchange.
tf 1066 w.m.f. Hongkong, 5th April, 1865.

A Beautiful Full Grand PIANO FORTE made expressly for this Climate, by "Collard and Collard," one of the best Instruments in China.
A full size MECHANICAL ORGAN, by "Kelson" of Paris, self performing with 22 Cylinders, playing Dancing and Operatic Music.
A New Elegant English-made BASKET CARRIAGE, with a fine ARAB HORSE, and Colonel Carter's Patent Harness.
A small BASKET CARRIAGE, with Pony and Harness.
A full size BILLIARD TABLE, complete, by Thurston & Co.
A comfortable PICNIC BOAT, suitable for families, with awning, sails &c., Pulls and sails very fast.
The above, the Property of Baron de Cercel, leaving China, may be viewed from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
F. A. da CRUZ.
At Messrs. A. A. de Mello & Co's. Office.
tf 2173 Macao, 10th August, 1865. 8-21

ENGLISH Made BOOTS and SHOES.
Apply to ALLUM. Queen's Road, opposite the Market.
1y 2318 Hongkong, 14th September, 1865.

DESIRABLE LEASEHOLD ESTATE FOR SALE.
ALL those 6 Chinese Shops and Dwelling Houses, situated in the Queen's Road East at Wanchi, and also all those 15 Chinese Dwelling Houses, situated behind the same on Inland Lot, No. 760 adjoining the newly erected Police Station at *Wanchai held for the residue of a term of 919 years from the 14th day of April 1862.*
For further particulars apply to CLEMENT SMALE, *Solicitor.* 1, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.
tf 2135 Hongkong 15th August, 1865.

For Sale.

REAL HAVANA CIGARS.
PARTIES desirous of Smoking a real and a superior quality HAVANA CIGARS, will please to apply to the Proprietor of the Hotel d'Europe.
15 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1864.

FOR SALE.
Or lease for a term of years at Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow.
THE well known and Valuable Freehold Property call Mamoi Point containing over Forty Two Mow of Ground with over Eleven hundred feet Water Frontage with all the Buildings now erected.
1 Lot, one new Building 82 feet by 47. Godown 70 feet by 22, Bowling alley 108 by 22 with Cook and Servants rooms attached. Built in a most substantial manner.
2 Lots, 3 Godowns in one, 90 feet by 45. Built of Granite and Brick with Water Frontage.
3 Lots. 1 Perfectly new Building 60 feet by 38 suitable either for a place of Business or a dwelling House with Garden, Room in Front and Water Frontage. Built of all Foreign material in the very best manner. Servants room and outhouses attached.
4 Lots, 1 Row of Six Two Storey Brick Buildings with outhouses attached.
This property is strictly private and has no thoroughfare through it or Chinese Buildings, the very best locality at the Anchorage, and the only place that has good landing places at low water.
For further information apply to H. G. ROBERTSON, Foochow.
tf 2372 Foochow, 18th September, 1865.

AN Invoice of Electro-Plated Ware.
GREGORY & Co. Peddar's Wharf.
tf 50 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

CAVITE No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in cases of 10 mils. Manila No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in Cases of 10 mils.
Also.
"Imperiales" in boxes.
"Regalia" in boxes.
"Londres" in boxes.
No. 1 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
No. 3 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
E. GARRETA, Hollywood Road.
tf 2199 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1865.

SUPERIOR PRINTING PAPER. In various sizes.
HESSE EHLERS & Co.
tf 1963 Hongkong 21st July, 1865.

Ex "*Rodrigo.*"
20 Cases MANILA CIGARS, and CHEROOTS.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
2223 Hongkong, 26th August, 1865.

THE Hull of the Ship "*Hoang Ho,*" as she now lays in the River Min. This Vessel was built in Liverpool, in 1857, has been Recoppered and thoroughly overhauled and only requires to be fitted for Sea Register Tonnage 594, Classed A 1 13 years.
For further particulars apply to JOHN C. BAYNTON. Pagoda Anchorage. River Min.
tf 2116 Foochow, 7th August, 1865. 12-8

COLOURED Linen Trowsers and Waistcoats Light Coloured Buckskin Trowsers, and Waistcoats.
White Pique and Marseilles Waistcoats.
White Linen and Duck Trowsers, Paper Collars.
And,
Black Cloth, Light Buckskin, Coloured Flannel, Tweeds, and Black and Coloured Alpacas.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
tf 1080 Hongkong, 29th March, 1865.

LATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases
,, SHERRY ,, 3 ,,
,, PORT ,, 2 ,,
,, CLARET ,, 1 ,,
BIRLEY & Co.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.
Crude Camphor.
Teak Timber and Planks.
Singapore do. do.
Oregon do. do.
Boiler Plates and Rivets.
Nails, assorted sizes.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1912 Hongkong, 17th July, 1865.

DELIVERABLE from alongside or into Store 500 Tons of Laird's WELSH HARTLEY STEAM COALS now on board the British Barque "*Smyrna*" in this harbour.
Apply to R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2181 Hongkong 22nd August, 1865.

Ex Late Arrivals.
CHAMPAIGN, (Genuine Marks.)
Duc de Montebello.
Cordon Noir, in Quarts and Pints.
De St. Marceaux & Co.
Carte Blanche in Quarts and Pints.
Eugene Clicquot.
Jus de Grappe, in Quarts and Pints.
Genuine Hock.
1857 Johannisberger Dorf.
HESSE, EHLERS & Co.
tf 1962 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

SHERRY, Port, Moselle, Champagne, Claret Hock, and Brandy. Also Bass Pale Ale in Hhds, Barrels and Kilderkins.
Apply to SEVERS & Co.
tf Hongkong, 17th August, 1864.

Ex "*VARATILDA.*"
GINGER-WINE.
GINGER-BRANDY.
LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2376 Hongkong, 18th September, 1865.

SULPHURIC ACID in cases of 150 lbs. net each.
Apply to S., office of this paper.
Hongkong, 20th March, 1865. 945

ALEX. BOYER has just received by the "*AVONDHU.*"
Ellwood's Patent Air Chamber Shooting and Hunting Hats, Drab and Black.
Ellwood's Patent Air Chamber Helmets, Drab and Black.
Imperial Duck.
Linen Drill.
Brown Linen Bath Towels.
Patent Turkish Towels.
Patent Blue Dusters.
Gentlemen's Gauze under Vests.
Lady's do. do.
Coating Alpacas, in all Colors.
tf 2160 Hongkong, 18th August, 1865.

HONGKONG MARKETS.

Sales on the 2nd October, 1865.

Vendor	Goods Sold	Price	Purchaser
Birley & Co.	1,500 pcs. 8.4 lbs. Grey Shirtings	$ 4 15	Mee-loong
Fook-hing-cheong	2,000 ,, 8.4 lbs do	4 60	Shantung Merchant
do.	200 doz. Blue Handkerchiefs	00 94	Hongkong do.
Wilkinson & Co.	100 pcs. Assorted Lastings	20.65	Wo-lun
Gibb, Livingston & Co.	460 bales Foreign Cotton	24.00	Kwong-hang
Kwong-hing-cheong	130 ,, Tientsin do.	27.00	Yut-wo-loong
Wo-lee-hong	50 ,, Shanghai do.	27.00	Travelling Merchant
Mody & Co.	138 ,, Foreign do.	24.25	Kwong-hang
Kessowjee & Co.	60 ,, Shanghai do.	26.70	Shang-yune
Wm. Pustau & Co.	2,300 bags 100 lbs. California Flour	2.75	Macao Merchant
Russell & Co.	1,300 ,, 100 lbs. do.	2.80	Kwang-wing-shun
do.	1,400 ,, 50 lbs. Flour	1.40	do.
do.	500 ,, 50 lbs. do.	1.47	do.
Toong-hing-lye	100 pls. Small Mussells	6 10	Travelling Merchant
Wo-lee-hong	1,000 ,, Yellow Peas	2.47	Toong-koon do.
do.	200 ,, Small Mussells	6 30	Macao do.
Tsun-cheong-wing	80 bags Tientsin Vermicelli	9.30	Travelling do.
Wing-cheong-hong	2,000 pls. Singapore Rice	2.14	Kwong-loong
do.	600 ,, Yellow Peas	2.15	Toongkoon Merchant
Wing-cheong-shun	200 ,, Flatfish	5.60	Macao do.
do.	150 ,, do.	4.10	do.
Yuen-fat-hong	50 ,, Small Mussells	5.75	Travelling Merchant
do.	60 ,, Large do.	6.30	do.
John Burd & Co.	250 bars W B Large Lead	6.30	Margesson & Co.
Tye-cheong-hong	300 pls. Sapanwood	2 60	Fat-shan Merchant
do.	100 ,, Alum	2.80	do.

SHANGHAI LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Wednesday Evening, 27th September, 1865.

EXCHANGE.—*On London*—Bank Rate, sight, 5s. 11, per Tael; 6 m/s. sight, 6s. 1d. per Tls. Credits, 6 m/s, 6s 2d. Bills with Documents, 6 m/s 6s. 2¼ per Tls
On Paris—Credits, 6 m/s sight, Fcs. 7.75 per T's. Documents, 6 m/s sight, Fcs. 7.80 per Tls.
On Calcutta—Bank Bills, accepted, 3d/s. Rs. 297½.
On Bombay—Bank Bills, accepted, 3d/s. Rs. 298.
On Hongkong—Bank, 3 d/s. 26¾ per cent disct; Private 15d/s. 27 per cent discount
BULLION.—Mex. Dollars.—73 Carolus—73.7. Gold Bars, 98 touch, Tls. 159. Bar Silver, Tls. 111, Copper Cash, 1,265 per Tael.
OPIUM.—*Malwa, New.* Tls. 640 *Patna, New.* Tls 460 a 465.
F[illegible] £1 10s Silk £3 per Ton of 50 feet

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Arrivals.

Oct. 1, Cardsel, Brit. bq., 47 Ningpo 17th Sept., Sund Scott & Co.
Oct. 1, Mountain Ash, Brit. McCredie, London, May dine, Matheson & Co.
Oct. 4, Dumbarton, Brit. str., Shanghai, October 1st, Cotton dries.—Gibb, Livingston &
Oct. 4, St. Louis, French bq., Saigon, 11th Sept., Rice.—
Oct. 4, Skyik, Amer. sh., low, Oct. 2nd, Ballast.— & Co.
Oct. 4, Constantine, Nor. bq., semden, Swatow, October 2 Burd & Co.
Oct. 4, Louise Collet, French E. Pimour, Ningpo, 28th Sep —Siemssen & Co.
Oct. 4, Georg Andreas, Dan. Fensen, Swatow, 3rd Oct., Bornjau Hubener & Co.
Oct. 4, Star King, Amer. Swatow, 2nd October, Ballast
Oct. 4, Christine, Dan. sch., Swatow, 2nd Oct., General.—
Oct. 5, Ingeburg, put back.
Oct. 5, Nabob, Amer. bq., 563, Swatow, 26th September, Olyphant & Co.

Departures.

Oct. 4, Chetah, for San Francisco
Oct. 4, Richard, for Singapore.

Clearances.

At the Harbour Master's October 4, 1865.
Mudingoscar, for Manila.
Celestial, for Singapore.
Spec, for Melbourne.
Madras, for Singapore.
Princess, for Newchwang.
Norma, for Singapore.
Bertha, for Takao.
Phœnix, for Singapore.

Passengers.

Per "*Dumbarton*" str., from Shang
Mrs. Legg and family, Messrs. New
Hens, 3 European deck, and 30 Chin

Reports.

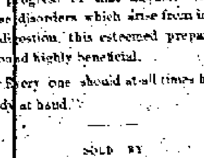
The British steamer *Dumbarton* rep on the 3rd October, at 8.30 A.M., off Huitau Bay signalized Dutch barq steering S.E., who wished to be rep October, at 2.30 P.M., off Tongmi Pt, *Sueenada* bound North. Experien N.E. and North winds during the pass

The British barque *Mountain Ash* r ing on the 20th June, in lat. 6.52 N., W., carried away jibboom, fore-top main-top gallant-mast. Arrived at on the 5th August, and left again on t

The Danish schooner *Ingeburg* rep the 26th September, in lat. 22 0 115.52 E., at Noon, at Midnight it be from the E.N.E. 27th very strong E N E 28th, blew stronger, wind E East, mostly rain, and the same e P.M., the wind going round to the E very heavy squalls—kept on to 30th at the wind moderated

The American barque *Nabob* Swatow bound to Foochow was obliged this port, and reports that on the 26th this commenced with light West wi 4 A.M. made sail. At 5 A.M. the Pilot board. Weighed anchor and put to A.M. the Pilot left the ship at Noon nea of Good Hope about S.S.E. 10 mile in Lat. 23.18. Long. 116.40.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.
Sept. 27, Mercia, from Foochow
DEPARTURES.
Sept. 27, Waratah, str., for Foochow
27, Rio de Janeiro, for Singapore
28, Victoria, for Newchwang
28, Granada, str., for Yokohama
29, Yesso, str., for Hongkong
29, Yang-tsze-kiang, str., for Tientsin



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At Messrs. Ferguson & Fisher's Sh Old Yellow Metal Sheathing, &

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tf 2279 Hongkong, 4th Septemb

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RUSS
tf 1627 Hongkong, 7th June,